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Revolt.

[S]ENATE DEMANDS TRUTH OF PHILIPPINE UPRISING.

[G]ov.-Gen. Harrison Minimizes Extent of Recent Manila Outbreak.

Declares Native Disorders Have been Suppressed and that Trouble was Fomented by Revolutionists at Hongkong, Who Have Appealed to the Most Ignorant Class of Islanders.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[W]ASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Details of native uprisings in the Philippines, beginning Christmas Eve, given in a cablegram received [from] Gov.-Gen. Harrison tonight at [the] War Department, and made pub[lic] [b]y Assistant Secretary Brecken[ridge].

[The] report minimized the extent of [the tr]ouble, but stated that small [bands] of Filipinos had assembled in [...] and Navotas Christmas Eve, [and] Laguna de Bay last night and [attemp]ted to make trouble. As a [result] forty men were arrested and [one m]an was shot by a policeman.

[Gov.]-Gen. Harrison reported that [the d]isorders had been suppressed; [that] everything was quiet and ef[forts] were being made to arrest the [leaders], the chief of whom, he said, [is be]lieved to be a man under sen[tence] of imprisonment for homicide. [He a]dded that nobody of any influence [or st]anding was concerned in the [movement]; that it was "small and [...]" and was connected with [the c]ampaign of Ricarte, who has [conduc]ted a revolutionary propaganda [at] Hongkong for several years, "ap[peal]ing to the most ignorant classes [of] Filipinos."

[Adm]inistration officials have re[fused] to believe that there was any [...] in the Philippine troubles, [but] have watched the situation close[ly] because of its possible bearing on [the] Jones bill granting more inde[pen]dence to the natives, which has [been] passed by the House and is now [pend]ing in the Senate.

[The] Senate Philippine Commission [will m]eet Wednesday to hear Dean [...], former member of the [Philip]pine government and at that [time], according to a statement made [by Ch]airman Hitchcock today, the committee will ask the War Department for full information concerning the uprising.

President Wilson favors the passage of the Jones bill during the present session. Officials close to the White House said tonight that the recent troubles would not affect Mr. Wilson's advocacy of the bill, in view of the quieting reports received by the War Department.

Resident Philippine Commissioner Quezon said there were no specific grievances against which the Philippine people can complain, and that "there is absolutely nothing in the talk of a revolution."

"The horrors of war are still so fresh in the minds of the Philippine people, that no one would think of inaugurating a war in the islands," said Mr. Quezon. "Many of the Filipinos are so comforted with the American fairness and justice that they would defend the American sovereignty."

DAUGHTER'S BIRTH OPENS THE JAILS.

ITALIAN KING IS TO GRANT AMNESTY TO MANY PRISONERS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 27.—The daughter born to the King and Queen of Italy Saturday will be named Maria, it is announced. It is expected that as a sign of rejoicing over the birth of the Princess, amnesty will be granted to a number of prisoners, including those condemned for participation in the revolutionary movement last June, and others accused of ordinary crimes.

[TH]E WORLD'S NEWS [TH]E HEART OF IT IN TODAY'S TIMES.

EPITOMIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

[Th]e Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) Activity of [...] Aviators. (2) Gen. Scott Settles Naco Trouble. [(3)] Hindu Hurls Bomb in Temple at San Francisco. [(4)] The Uprising in Manila. (5) Archbishop Riordan [Dea]d. (6) Italy to Neutralize Albania. (7) Cold Weather [in th]e East.

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[TH]E CITY. In a demonstration be[cause] of wholesale arrests of their fel[lows, I.]W.W.'s warned the city of re[prisals] and denounced plans for meeting [the unem]ployed problem.

[Two] society girls and their escort [were in]jured when their automobile over[turned]; an undertaker was called to the hospital, in regaining his senses, remembers that he was drugged and robbed on a railway train.

[A re]al estate man was arrested, [charged] with having made about $16,- [...] by forgeries involved in five fraud[ulent tr]ansactions.

[Dist.-A]tty.-elect Woolwine announced [...] of four of the six men he is em[powered] to appoint to places on his [staff].

[...] railroad men declared good ef[fects] of the supplemental 5 per cent. [freight r]ate increase in the East will be [...].

[It w]as announced by the State Super[intendent] of Weights and Measures that [he will open] an office here soon, housekeeping [will be s]ystematized.

[Because] of the reduced tariff on wal[nuts], California growers have been so [...] that they must hold or sell at a [...].

[SOUTH]ERN CALIFORNIA. One per[son was] perhaps fatally injured and sev[eral] others were hurt in an auto acci[dent] at Long Beach.

[An] injured man in a San Bernardino hospital, in regaining his senses, remembers that he was drugged and robbed on a railway train.

A man claiming to be an oil man of Pittsburgh is under arrest in Pasadena.

PACIFIC SLOPE. New citrus experiment station to open next August.

Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco is dead.

Flood did little damage in Arizona.

GENERAL EASTERN. Mayor of Terre Haute in jail for election frauds.

Five persons lose their lives in a Cambridge (Mass.) fire.

WASHINGTON. Gov.-Gen. Harrison of the Philippines, in a report on the Manila uprising, says that it has been suppressed and was started by a revolutionary faction in Hongkong.

President Wilson is 58 today.

The cold wave is reported broken east of the Rockies.

MEXICO. Gen. Scott's agreement with the Mexicans at Naco is believed to have insured the neutrality of that town in the future.

Villa is violently indignant at the attempt to insure the escape of Gen. Iturbide, and says he must stand trial in Mexico City.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: German aviator drops a bomb over the Thames estuary.

Russians secure the ascendancy in Galicia, capturing many Austrian prisoners.

Italy insists on the neutrality of Albania and will not allow her to attack either Servia or Montenegro.

Dutch steamer is sunk by mines in the North Sea and a British steamer narrowly escapes.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

The sudden activity of the British fleet and aviators against the German base at Cuxhaven indicates that they are determined to get even for the recent German raid on their coast cities. It is also said that they are securing information which it is believed will be useful to the allies when they resume their offensive. According to Russian reports their army has secured the complete ascendancy over the Austrians in Galicia and have won a series of victories from Poland to the Carpathians. Despite the fact that winter is on in full force, there appears to be no diminution to the attacks of either side and more vigorous moves are said to be planned for the future.

[Editor's] Note: Readers will bear in mind, in connection with the sensitive subject [of and] over the war news, that the various dispatches are each captioned in ac[cord] with the text, as nearly as may be. These headlines are written in such [manner] as will briefly and truly express the origin, character, nature and trend of the [news] in each case. The Times (which holds itself responsible for the proper [headings], but not always for the accuracy of the war news) aims to be impartial, and [to give] all sides a fair hearing.

SICK MEN DRENCHED.

Fire in Presidio Hospital is Quickly Conquered by Volunteers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Fire in Ward A of the Letterman General Hospital at the Presidio of San Francisco today brought such speedy aid from the hospital, corps fire department that several patients were drenched in their beds. The great wooden building which houses the hospital and which has worried many medical officers because of its inflammability, was saved.

Berlin.

RUSS MOVE FROM WARSAW.

CZAR'S AUTHORITIES REPORTED TO BE IN VILNA.

German Advance Along the Bzura is Maintained, but the Austrians Are Having a Hard Time Near Dunajec—Outbreak in Alexandria is Quelled with Machine Guns.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Among the items given out today for publication by the Official Press Bureau, are the following:

"While the Germans on the Bzura and along the Pilica rivers are reported to be advancing, the Austrians appear to be having a hard struggle to maintain their positions east of the Dunajec River, although they seem to be holding their own on its lower reaches, and also to be gaining ground steadily in the Carpathians.

"The Servians again are back at the border along the Drina and Save rivers, but probably are not in considerable force.

"Constantinople reports that the action against Batum is proceeding favorably. The holy banner of the prophet has been brought into Damascus amid great rejoicing.

"The Rome newspaper Vita reports an outbreak of rioting in Alexandria, Egypt. Three thousand men with machine guns, the paper says, were necessary to suppress the disorder. Eighty-five Arabs were killed.

"A report received from Copenhagen says the authorities at Warsaw have moved from that city to Vilna.

"The Secolo of Milan says Servia is refusing transit to Bulgarian ammunition steamers on the Danube, and that this action is exasperating Bulgaria. The Bulgarian papers, according to the Secolo are demanding the enforcement of transit regulations."

NEW RULES FOR NEUTRALS.

VENEZUELA PROPOSES CONFERENCE OF PAN-AMERICAN UNION TO REVISE LAWS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Venezuela has formally proposed to all the neutral governments of Europe and Asia, as well as to the two Americas, that a conference be held in Washington to revise or supplement the rules of international law, respecting the rights of neutrals in the present war.

The plan provides that the governing board of the Pan-American Union, consisting of the diplomatic representatives of the American republics, should draft a programme for the conference or congress, and that the rules finally agreed upon by all the neutrals should in turn be submitted to the belligerents.

OUR PRESIDENT IS FIFTY-EIGHT.

WILL SPEND THE DAY QUIETLY WITH HIS FAMILY IN THE WHITE HOUSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—President Wilson, who celebrates his fifty-eighth birthday tomorrow, today began receiving congratulatory messages from all parts of the United States and from foreign countries.

The President will spend the day quietly with his family, and no special observance of the anniversary is planned.

Except for a conference on the administration's legislative programme with Majority Leader Underwood, and the reception of a delegation of Sunday-school pupils from New Jersey, the President plans to see few callers during the week. The usual Cabinet meeting Tuesday may be canceled.

TWO STEAMERS RUN INTO MINES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

SCARBOROUGH, (Eng., Via London.) Dec. 27.—The Dutch steamer Leersum, from Amsterdam, and the British steamer Gallier from London, struck mines in the North sea today. The Leersum foundered and two of her crew were drowned. The Gallier succeeded in reaching port.

CZAR AT BATTLE FRONT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 27.—Emperor Nicholas, who left Moscow Christmas evening, has arrived at the battle front.

Fanatic.

HURLS BOMB IN TEMPLE.

Hindu Mystic Slain Hall Wrecked.

Swami and Three Disciples Injured When Missile Explodes.

Demented Member of San Francisco Cult Causes a Wild Panic.

Deserted Colony Two Years Ago When Discipline was Too Strict.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—A Hindu mystic named Louis Vavara blew himself up, wounded a swami and three disciples, and wrecked the temple in which they were worshiping, by exploding a bomb at the afternoon service today. All the injured will recover. They are:

Swami Trigunatita, arms and body lacerated.

Mrs. C. French, Concord, Cal., left forearm and thigh lacerated.

Mrs. C. N. Peterson, face cut open.

Walter Morris, right eye torn out.

Vavara was said tonight by members of the cult to have been demented, but supposedly harmless. He always went to services, and today, upon entering, walked across the room and threw his hat containing a bomb at the feet of the swami. Nothing happened, so he bounced the hat three times on the platform ledge. The third time there was an explosion which blew him clear across the room. He died while being taken to a hospital.

Vavara formerly lived in a colony conducted in rooms above the meeting room. Residents of the colony said he left two years ago because the discipline was too strict.

MISS CLARK IS TO WED.

SPEAKER'S DAUGHTER TO BECOME BRIDE OF NEW ORLEANS MAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Speaker Champ Clark and Mrs. Clark announced tonight the engagement of their daughter, Miss Genevieve, to James M. Thomson, editor of the New Orleans Item. The wedding will take place in the spring or early summer at the Clark home in Bowling Green, Mo. Miss Clark met Mr. Thomson in Baltimore during the 1912 Democratic convention, in which he was one of the leaders in the fight to nominate the Speaker for the Presidency. Since leaving school about two years ago Miss Clark has been a leader among the younger members of official and Congressional society.

FIVE PERSONS DIE IN FIRE.

MANY OTHERS ARE INJURED AS CAMBRIDGE CITY HOME IS DESTROYED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 27.—At least five inmates of the Cambridge City Home lost their lives when fire completely burned out the three-story stone structure tonight. Firemen at a late hour were searching the ruins for possible additional bodies. Apparently two of the bodies were those of women.

Scores of men, women and children were taken down ladders. Many were so seriously burned or affected by smoke that they were taken to hospitals. There was much suffering from the intense cold until nearby residents opened their houses to the unfortunate victims.

TRUCKEE HOTEL IS DESTROYED.

FIRE WIPES OUT THE LARGEST HOSTELRY AT FAMOUS SUMMER RESORT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TRUCKEE, Dec. 27.—Fire of unknown origin started here at 1:30 p.m. today and totally destroyed the Glendale Hotel, the largest hotel in Truckee. The loss is estimated at $15,000, only $2000 of which was covered by insurance.

The proprietor, D. J. Smith, has lost four other buildings since he came to Truckee in the early days, and the hotel destroyed today was his sole possession.

TROOPS QUIT THIS WEEK.

Gradual Withdrawal from Coal Fields of Colorado Agreed Upon at Recent Washington Conference.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 27.—The gradual withdrawal of Federal troops from the Colorado coal fields where they have been on strike duty since last April, will begin this week, according to Gov. Ammons, who, with Governor-elect Carlson returned from Washington today after a conference with President Wilson on the Colorado industrial situation.

WORLD WIDE PEACE MOVE.

Congress Asked to Call a Convention at Close of the Present War.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—As one of the first steps in a contemplated world-wide peace movement, resolutions asking Congress to call a world congress at the close of the war in Europe, were adopted at a meeting held in the Metropolitan Temple here tonight. Henry Clews, the New York banker, presided at tonight's meeting and addresses favoring the movement were made by John Hays Hammond, Bainbridge Colby and the Rev. John Wesley Hill, president of the International Peace Forum.

Teaser.

COLD WAVE AT LAST BROKEN.

TEMPERATURES ARE MODERATING EAST OF ROCKIES.

Northfield, in Vermont, is Reported as the Coldest Spot in the Country, with Twenty-six Below Zero—Warmer Weather Predicted for the Next Few Days.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Winter's record-breaking cold wave, which had covered most of the country from the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic Coast, causing widespread suffering and a number of deaths, was broken tonight, and generally rising temperatures were predicted for the next few days.

Forecasters at the Weather Bureau said the temperatures already were moderating tonight everywhere east of the Rockies and north from the Mason and Dixon line.

Northfield, Vt., was the coldest point in the Eastern United States today. The temperature was 26 deg. below zero.

Hands Across Sea.

ITALY JOINS UNITED STATES.

CRUISER INSTRUCTED TO AID EUROPEANS IN SYRIA.

Four American Warships Are Now in the Eastern Mediterranean Ready for Any Emergency Should Demonstrations be Made Against Any of the Foreign Residents.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 27.—Instructions have been sent to the Italian cruiser Calabria, now at Beirut, Syria, to assist the United States cruiser North Carolina, if the necessity should arise, as the result of further demonstrations against the departure of Europeans from Turkish territory. The cruiser Tennessee, the fuel ship Vulcan, and the gunboat Scorpion, of the United States navy, which also are looking after American interests along the Eastern Mediterranean, are ready to steam to any place where they are needed, according to reports received here.

According to a dispatch from Athens, the cruiser North Carolina recently threatened to use her guns as the result of an incident at Tripoli, Syria. The cruiser, convoying the American steamer Virginia, entered the harbor of Tripoli and the commander requested the Turkish authorities to permit the British and French Consuls to depart with their nationals resident in the city.

This request was refused, but several of the French residents boarded the Virginia. They were attacked by a mob, who wounded the captain and first officer. The North Carolina threatened to fire and the mob fled. The Virginia and the North Carolina then left for Dedeagatch. Later the cruiser proceeded to Smyrna.

TORPEDO BOAT RUNS ASHORE.

ENGLISH VESSED LOSES ITS BEARINGS IN DARKNESS AND HITS ROCK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ST. ANDREWS (Scotland, Via London) Dec. 27.—A British torpedo boat destroyer went ashore early today on the coast of Kingsbarns, six miles southeast of St. Andrews. Her crew was saved by lifeboats.

The destroyer was steaming south from Aberdeen to the Firth of Fourth, and in the darkness and without shore lights, lost her bearings.

After the rescue of a portion of her crew, one of the lifeboats was stove in by the heavy sea, and the remainder of the crew were saved only after considerable difficulty by a second lifeboat.

BIG AUSTRALIAN CRUISER OFF CHILE.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

VALPARAISO (Chile). Dec. 27.—The Australian battle cruiser Australia, which came into this port yesterday, sailed today after taking aboard coal and provisions. She has been cruising about the Pacific Coast of South America for several weeks.

Daring.

GERMAN DROPS AIRBOMB OVER THAMES ESTUARY.

Russians Report Series of Victories from Poland to Carpathians.

Extraordinary Activity of Aviators on Christmas Believed to be Designed to Secure Information for Allies to Aid Their Offensive Movement to the West—Czar Joins Grand Duke Nicholas.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 27.—The Turkish military authorities have removed the troops and artillery from Adrianople and are sending them to defend the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus, according to a dispatch from Athens.

BARI (Italy) Dec. 27 (via Rome.)—Advices received here from Albania are to the effect that Essad Pasha, the provisional President, has gathered 8800 soldiers and marched against the Albanian rebels, intending to engage them in a decisive battle.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The airmen of the belligerent countries spent a busy Christmas. While a solitary German flew over the Thames estuary and dropped a single bomb which fell in a roadway and did no damage, a convoy of seven British navy seaplanes visited the German naval base at Cuxhaven and dropped bombs on ships and the gasworks. All but one of the British airmen returned safely to the ships which convoyed them.

Similar activity was displayed along the battle front, German airmen paying a surprise visit to Nancy; French aviators to Metz; British to Brussels and other Belgian towns occupied by the Germans, and German airmen to Polish cities.

As usual, the accounts of the airmen of the damage done differ from those of the occupants of the territory attacked. While bombs were dropped during these flights, most of the flights were made for the purpose of reconnoitering. The allies, who are on the offensive in the west, are naturally desirous of knowing when and where the Germans are moving their reinforcements, the arrival of which at the front has been the signal for many German counter attacks.

Except in the Argonne and Alsace, where the French have made some progress, and outside of artillery practice, the battles in the west for the past two days largely consisted of German attacks, to counter those of the allies and to prevent the allies from organizing the ground which they had gained.

In Poland, where the Russian Emperor has joined Grand Duke Nicholas at the Russian headquarters, the German attacks on the Bzura and Rawka rivers are being made almost exclusively with artillery, while an offensive in force has been assumed further south along the River Pilica, where hard fighting continues and both sides claim to have inflicted heavy losses on their opponents.

The Russians apparently have again gained ascendency over the Austrians in South Poland and Galicia. The Austrians themselves admit the loss of the towns of Jaslo and Krosno, on the South Galician Railway, which their army from across the Carpathians recaptured a week or more ago. The Russian report tonight is the record of a series of victories from Middle Poland to the foothills of the Carpathians. Today's report alone records the capture of 12,500 prisoners and a number of guns and unless some prisoners have been counted more than once, the Russians, according to their own accounts, have taken 30,000 Austrian prisoners since they resumed the offensive.

Raid.

"DIG OUT" GERMAN FLEET, BRITISH AVIATORS' PLAN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Assisted by light cruisers, destroyers and submarines, seven British naval airmen, piloting seaplanes, made a daring attack Christmas day on the German naval base of Cuxhaven, at the mouth of the Elbe. Six of the airmen returned safely, but the seventh, Commander Hewlett, it is feared, has been lost, as his machine was found off Heligoland wrecked.

What damage was done by the bombs thrown by the attacking party could not be ascertained, but the German report of the affair says that the raid was fruitless.

The enterprise of the British navy, in thus attempting to "dig out" the German fleet, brought about a battle between the most modern of war machines, the British squadron, including the light cruisers Arethusa and Undaunted, which have been engaged in previous exploits on the German coast, and the German Zeppelins, seaplanes and submarines.

By rapid maneuvering, the ships were able to avoid the submarines, while the Zeppelins found the fire of the cruisers too dangerous for them to keep up the fight. The German seaplanes dropped bombs, which, according to the British account, fell harmlessly into the sea. The Germans, however, claim to have hit two destroyers and their convoys, the latter being set afire.

The British ships remained in the vicinity for three hours without being attacked by any surface warships, and picked up three of the seven pilots and their planes. The others were picked up by submarines, but their machines were sunk. Commander Hewlett, it is thought, was drowned.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

The official press bureau gave out the following statement today regarding the raid:

"On Friday, December 25, the German warships lying off Schilling roads, off Cuxhaven, were attacked by seven naval seaplanes, piloted by Flight Commanders Oliver Hewlett, Ross and Kilner, Flight Lieutenants Miley and Edwards and Sub-Lieutenant Blackburn."

"The attack was delivered in daylight starting from a point in the vicinity of Heligoland. The seaplanes were escorted by a light cruiser and destroyer force, together with submarines. As these ships were seen by the Germans from Heligoland, two Zeppelins and three or four hostile

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Recovery.

GAIN OF THREE BILLIONS IN TOTAL BANK CLEARINGS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—One need seek no further for reliable evidence of business recovery in the United States than the check exchanges of banks of the country.

Clearances for December, including an estimate on the last five days, total $13,502,358,747.

This is the largest since the first depressing influences of the war overspread the country and is a gain of more than $3,500,000,000 over the figures for August, which presented the smallest total clearings of any period since hostilities began.

Aggregate bank clearings of the country decreased nearly $4,000,000 in October, compared with those of the corresponding time in 1913. The November decrease was less than $2,000,000,000, while the decease in December is only $165,637,426 by similar comparison.

The release of credits incident to the inauguration of the Federal reserve banking system and the reopening of the stock exchanges were prominent factors in the augmentation of clearing figures, but the largest percentage of gain has been due directly to greater activity in general business lines.

OPTIMISM PREVAILS.

The leading mercantile agencies now concede that business optimism prevails and that favorable factors outweigh adverse ones.

Developments all over the country last week reflected the steady upbuild of mercantile and industrial confidence.

Hundreds of large manufacturing concerns scattered from Coast to Coast reported having increased their activities in some form or other. It is true that the increases in many cases were of small proportions, but the swing continues in the right direction and is in progress without interruption.

Railroad ordering was larger during the week than it has been in several months, causing encouragement to the steel and iron industries. It was the effect of these signs that prevented a reduction in wages for workers of the United States Steel Corporation.

Reports from every quarter indicate that war orders continue large, and the effect of this is stimulating.

Money continues to grow easier and more abundant in supply.

Collections are easier and business credit steadily is becoming available in normal proportions.

SUPPLY FOLLOWS DEMAND.

Supply still is following demand and there are no surplus stocks. In this lies the basis for a quick return.

The securities markets have settled into dullness, which indicates there is little liquidation, or at least no foreign selling that cannot be taken care of without embarrassment to the financial situation. On the whole, conditions are sound.

Outside reports coming from bankers who are careful students of the business situation are all encouraging.

Truce.

MEXICANS HAVE AGREED TO SCOTT'S PEACE PLAN.

Naco to be Neutral Hereafter; Fighting to be Resumed at Nogales.

Army of Gen. Benjamin Hill will Abandon City to Maytorena—Villa Declares Gen. Iturbide Must be Tried for His Offenses at Capital and Denies Breach with Gutierrez.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Bryan received word unofficially tonight that the plan proposed by Brig.-Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Chief of Staff of the United States army, for the prevention of firing into American territory along the Mexican border, had been agreed upon by all factions.

Enrique C. Llorente, Washington agent of the Gutierrez government, of which Gen. Maytorena at Naco is a supporter, was advised that the latter had accepted the plan suggested by Gen. Scott. It provides that Gen. Hill of the Carranza forces should abandon Naco and be permitted to go unmolested to Agua Prieta, already held by a portion of his troops. Gen. Maytorena, who has withdrawn his forces southward from Naco, would agree to occupy Naco, Sonora, which would thenceforth become absolutely neutral.

As Maytorena already holds Nogales, a port of entry, he is said to believe that the arrangement was neither to his advantage nor detriment. From the viewpoint of Gen. Hill, the continued possession of Naco was said to be of little value, because the Maytorena forces besieging it from the south prevented the further transportation of supplies obtained through the port from the United States, and by retiring to Agua Prieta, Hill, it is believed, will be enabled to better defend himself against all attack.

From the point of view of the United States the arrangement was favored, because fighting in either Agua Prieta or Nogales would not be close enough to the American towns to produce the same situation as had existed for several months at Naco, where stray bullets constantly fell on American soil.

Mr. Llorente said he had a telegram from Gen. Villa to the effect that harmony prevailed between Gutierrez and all the chiefs. Llorente, therefore, thought the statement issued by the private secretary of Gutierrez, last night, charging Villa with disobedience of orders, was due to a misunderstanding, which could not have resulted in anything serious.

Agents of Gen. Villa here announced tonight that the "Green Book," the latest diplomatic paper dealing with the Mexican revolution, will be issued this week. It was said that Gen. Villa would explain in the publication why he is opposing Gen. Carranza, and would make public certain hitherto secret documents designed to prove that had Carranza been made President he would have repudiated his pledges to the people and ruled the country as a dictator.

ARREST ITURBIDE, ORDER OF VILLA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24 (Via El Paso, Dec. 27) (Delayed)—Gen. Villa tonight telegraphed officials at Chihuahua to remove Eduardo Iturbide from a northbound train and to return him a prisoner to Mexico City. Iturbide acted as Governor of the Federal district for a short time after the Carranza forces evacuated the capital. Upon the entrance of Zapata he was compelled to go into hiding, as his arrest was threatened.

It was said that he was concealed in one of the foreign legations of the capital until two days ago, when he was smuggled into the drawing-room of a sleeping car and started on his journey toward El Paso. When this became known, Gen. Villa became furious, saying:

"A foreigner, an American named Leon Canova, who claims to be a representative of Secretary of State Bryan, smuggled Iturbide into a car and attempted to get him across the American border. He had no right to do this and has meddled unwarrantedly in Mexican affairs. Iturbide must be brought back to Mexico City and stand trial for the offenses of which he is charged."

Zapata officials claim to have evidence that Iturbide forced employees of his plantation to join Huerta's army during the recent revolution and have asked for his execution as a traitor.

Gens. Villa and Gutierrez today held a conference by wire with Gen. Zapata, who was at Cuernavaca. As a result, it was decided to dismiss all former Federal officers from the present armies.

STILL HUNTING FOR ITURBIDE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—It became known here today that the whereabouts of Eduardo Iturbide, who bore passports from Provisional President Gutierrez, are still unknown here.

At Aguascalientes Leon Conova, representative of the United States Department of State, refused to permit the search of his compartment. At Torreon a company of troops boarded the train with a second request for admission. Conova requested the conductor to telegraph a protest to Gen. Villa, the troops meanwhile deferring action. At Chihuahua City the train was delayed over night by what was said to be a wrecked car.

Conova was asked to remove his luggage to a day coach. As he removed the last bag from his compartment, a number of State officials and secret service men pounced into his stateroom. The place was empty.

SEIZE MEXICO CITY IN TWO MONTHS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—It was announced by the Mexican bureau of information tonight that a telegram had been received from Dr. Atl, of the Carranza ministry of communications at Vera Cruz, as follows:

"Have just reviewed our line of defense from Orizaba to Apizaco, consisting of more than 30,000 well-equipped troops. There is great enthusiasm and loyalty among the soldiers and the people. The Constitutionalist chiefs have agreed to advance slowly, in order to establish political and social reforms. Mexico City will be ours in less than two months.

"Many reports of the victory claimed by Villistas are without foundation; no truth in them. Puebla and Guadalajara were evacuated for the purpose of isolating the enemy. The organization of the revolutionary confederacy is now definitely established. The Mexican people are with the Constitutionalists. There is perfect harmony and unity of ideas and purpose among the generals and the chiefs who are fighting for the people's cause."

COL. MACARTHUR PASSES AWAY.

WAS HIGH IN MASONIC CIRCLES AND A WELL-KNOWN PUBLISHER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TROY (N. Y.) Dec. 27.—Col. Arthur MacArthur, Grand Master of the Grand Encampment, Knights Templars of the United States, died suddenly of apoplexy today at his home here. He was 64 years old.

Col. MacArthur was the editor and proprietor of the Troy Northern Budget, and was widely known as a newspaperman.

For many years Col. MacArthur was prominently identified with Masonry and was elected Grand Master of the Grand Encampment at Denver, Colo., in 1913. He has been a Mason since 1872.

CHINAMAN ARRESTED.

Six Celestials are Found in Jersey City Locked in a Freight Car From Vancouver.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JERSEY CITY, (N. J.) Dec. 27.—Six Chinamen were arrested early today in a Grand Trunk railway freight car in the Erie railroad yards here and locked up on charges of violation of the exclusion act. They will be arraigned before United States Commissioner Carpenter tomorrow. The police say the car came through from Vancouver, B. C.

Commentaries.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUES FROM THE GREAT WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 27.—The following official statement was issued from general headquarters today:

"During December 26 the fighting along the lines of the Bzura and Rawka rivers was confined in general to artillery fire. We have repulsed with success various attacks by the Germans.

"Along the lower course of the Nida River we ousted, towards evening of December 25, from the village of Wislica, the Austrians who had obstinately defended it and who attempted to fortify themselves on the left bank of the Nida. We then drove the Austrians beyond that river.

"South of the Vistula, in the region of Tarnow (Galicia,) on December 25, we drove back the Austrians from the Tuchow-Olpiny line. The enemy abandoned ten rapid-firers and we took forty-three officers and more than 2500 soldiers prisoners. The next day we continued the pursuit of the Austrians, who retreated in disorder. We captured eight more machine guns and about 1000 prisoners. We occupied the heights near Siedliska, on the left bank of the Biala River.

"In the direction of Dukla (Carpathians) there were engagements on December 25 and 26, and the Austrians, driven from the Zmigrod-Dukla line, are in full retreat. In the latest encounters in this region the Austrians suffered enormous losses and left in our hands as prisoners more than 10,000 men."

FROM PARIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 27, 10:45 p.m.—The following official statement was issued by the War Office tonight:

"After having all last night directed a very sharp artillery and infantry fire against our troops stationed at La Boisselle and in the adjacent trenches, the enemy delivered two consecutive attacks without success.

"We hold strongly the trenches captured near Puisaleine. On the heights of the Meuse we have consolidated our occupation of the ground taken near the trench of Garonne.

"St. Die has been bombarded violently from 9:30 o'clock in the morning to noon."

The following official statement was issued this afternoon:

"Between the sea and the Lys, the day was calm and cannonading intermittent.

"Between the Lys and the Oise there is nothing to report.

"In the valley of the Aisne and in Champagne, artillery duels continued. In the region of Perthes, the enemy, after a violent bombardment of the trenches, which he had lost, attempted a violent counter-attack, which was repulsed by the fire of our artillery and infantry.

"In the Argonne there was slight progress to the south of St. Hubert. One company gained between 100 and 200 metres. We bombarded a ravine, forcing the enemy to evacuate several trenches. Between the Meuse and Moselle, to the east of St. Mihiel, two German attacks against the fortifications of the burnt woods were repulsed.

"A dirigible dropped a dozen bombs on Nancy in the center of the city and without military reason. Our aviators in contrast bombarded the aviation hangars of Frescar, one of the railroad stations of Metz, where movements of trains were noted, and the barracks of Saint Privat, at Metz. In Upper Alsace our troops realized further progress upon the heights which dominate Cernay, and have repulsed some attacks there.

"In Russia, the Germans who resumed their march on Miawa, have reoccupied that city. The situation in Poland remains without notable change. The violence of the battle on the Bzura and the Rawka have diminished. In the Central Pilica region, the battle, on the contrary, continues very keen, except upon the Lower Nida. On the whole Galician front the struggle is developing under conditions favorable to the Russians."

FROM BERLIN.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—The following official communication was issued today by the German General Staff:

"Nothing of importance happened yesterday in Flanders. English ships appeared off the coast this morning.

"The enemy made an unsuccessful advance movement yesterday at Albert, in the direction of Boiselle, which was followed by a successful counter attack by our troops early this morning.

"The French attacks in Meurissons, in the Argonne and southeast of Verdun, broke down under our fire.

"In Upper Alsace the French attacked our positions east of the Thann-Dammerkirch line, but all these assaults were repelled.

"During the first hours of the night yesterday, the French gained possession of an important height east of Thann, but were thrown back after a vigorous counter-attack and the height remained in our possession today.

"There has been no change in the situation, either in East or West Prussia. In Poland, our attacks on branches of Tomaszow, our offensive continued successfully.

"Russian attacks in Incwlodz, from a southerly direction, were repulsed with heavy losses to them."

FROM CONSTANTINOPLE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 28.—(via London, 3:39 a.m.)—An official communication, issued Sunday, says:

"The Turkish forces are victoriously advancing along the Caucasian front. There is no truth in the Russian official report that the Hamidieh has been torpedoed at Sebastopol. The Turkish fleet, including the Hamidieh, steamed through the Black Sea and returned without damage.

"One of our warships on December 24 met a Russian squadron composed of five battleships, two cruisers, ten destroyers and three mine layers. The Turkish ship, single-handed, during the night, attacked and bombarded the battleship Rostislav, and sank the two mine layers Oleg and Athos. Two Russian officers and thirty sailors were rescued and taken prisoners.

"Simultaneously another portion of our fleet successfully bombarded Batum. On December 25, in the forenoon, two of our ships offered battle to the Russian fleet, which retreated to Sebastopol."

FROM VIENNA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VIENNA (via London) Dec. 28.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"The situation in the Carpathians is unchanged.

"The Russian offensive between Rymanow and Tuchow forced our troops to fall back a short distance in the district before the Galician Carpathians.

"Hostile attacks failed on the Lower Dunajec River and the Lower Nida Fighting continues in the region of Tomaszow.

"The Balkan theater is quiet.

"The territory of the dual monarchy with the exception of insignificant frontier districts in Bosnia, Herzegovina and South Dalmatia, is free from the enemy. The narrow tract of land at Spizza and Budua (southeast of Cattaro, in Dalmatia,) from the beginning of the war has been occupied by Montenegrins. Their attack on Bocche Di Cattaro has completely failed. Their French guns posted on the frontier heights had to suspend their fire after they had been bombarded from our forts and our naval guns.

"As the bombardment of the isolated coast fortifications by French squadrons also has been unsuccessful, the naval port (Cattaro) is now completely in our hands."

AUSTRIAN DEFEAT AT BELGRADE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The Daily Telegraph's Sarayevo correspondent, under date of December 19, tells of the defeat of the Austrians at the hands of the Servians, which culminated in the re-occupation by the Servians of Belgrade.

"The Austro-Hungarian losses since November have been at least 120,000 men," the correspondent says. "The Servians have captured 140 guns and 40,000 prisoners since December 18.

"Gen. Mischitch, after his well-deserved victory, was promoted to the rank of field marshal."

GERMAN DEFENSE IS VERY STRONG.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 27, 3:50 p.m.—The strength of the German lines of defense along the western battle front is indicated by a semi-official note issued here today in reference to artillery captured by the French in attacks on German trenches in the Perthes region on December 24.

The note says that when these trenches were taken the French gained possession of two quick-firers, several siege guns mounted on carriages, one siege mortar of 245 millimeters, one gun of fifty millimeters, with an armored cupola and a revolving gun of thirty-seven millimeters.

Four-fifths of the motion picture films produced in the world are made in Los Angeles. An informing article on this, the globe's motion picture center, is one of hundreds of interesting features in the Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1.

Mexico.

NEUTRAL STRIP ALONG BORDER.

This is Gen. Scott's Idea of Settling the Squabble.

Success Depends on Action Taken in Washington.

To Hold Further Conferences with Sonora Leaders.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NACO (Ariz.) Dec. 27.—Now that the retirement of Gov. Maytorena's Villaistas from the siege of Naco, Sonora, has made Naco, Ariz., safe for the time being from stray Mexican bullets, permanent safety for border towns depends on further conferences Brig.-Gen. Hugh L. Scott will hold with the Sonora factional leaders.

It is understood the success of his mission now hangs largely on Washington's answer to the plan submitted by Scott last Thursday, in which the chief of staff of the United States army is believed to have suggested the creation of a neutral strip along the border.

Hope of success also is understood to lie with the attitude of Gov. Maytorena, which will be learned when the Sonora Governor's agents visit him tomorrow.

Completion of details in the peace plan has been delayed by the fact that Gen. Hill's Carranzistas command the roads to Maytorena's new camp, ten miles southeast of here, but Gen. Scott was promised today safe conduct through Hill's lines to the Maytorena headquarters.

"Big Out" German Fleet.

(Continued from First Page.)

seaplanes and several hostile submarines attacked them.

"It was necessary for the British ships to remain in the neighborhood to pick up the returning airmen, and a novel combat ensued between the most modern cruisers and the enemy's air craft and submarines. By swift maneuvering, the enemy's submarines were avoided and the two Zeppelins were easily put to flight by the guns of the Undaunted and Arethusa.

"The enemy's seaplanes succeeded in dropping their bombs near our ships, but without hitting any of them. The British ships remained for three hours off the enemy's coast without being molested by any surface vessel and safely re-embarked three out of the seven airmen with their machines. Three other pilots returned later and were picked up by British submarines which were standing by. Their machines were sunk.

"Six out of the seven pilots returned safely Flight Commander Hewlett is missing. His machine was seen in a wrecked condition about eight miles from Heligoland and the fate of the daring and skillful pilot is unknown.

"The extent of the damage by the British airmen's bombs cannot be estimated, but all were discharged at points of military significance.

"On Thursday last, Squadron Commander Richard B. Davies of the Naval Air Service, visited Brussels in a Farman biplane, for the purpose of dropping twelve bombs at an airship shed reported to contain a German airship. Eight of these bombs, of which six are believed to have hit, were discharged at the first attack; the remaining four on the return flight. Owing to the clouds of smoke which arose from the shed, the effect could not be distinguished."

Another naval airman on Christmas Eve dropped twelve bombs on an airship shed at Brussels, but it was impossible definitely to ascertain the amount of damage done.

It was learned today that the German airman who visited England on Christmas Day dropped a bomb near Rochester, which is only twenty-eight miles east-southeast of St. Paul's, London, and seven miles from Gravesend. The bomb did no damage, as it fell in the roadway.

Confident.

ALLIES EXPECT WAR'S END BY SEPTEMBER AT LATEST.

BY AN EX-DIPLOMAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—It can be stated on the highest authority that the allied governments believe the war will end not later than next September. Their military commanders have given them reason to hope that the German and Austro-Hungarian governments may be induced by circumstances to ask for terms as early as May of 1915.

The allied authorities base their opinion on the inability of the central empires to make good the waste of men and of resources as can the allies, both in the eastern and western theaters of war.

Already rubber, copper and petrol (or gasoline) cannot be bought for private use in Germany and Austria-Hungary. Taxicabs are driven by a solution of benzol and kerosene. New tires cannot be had. There are no copper utensils for sale and measures are under consideration to secure for the military service all the copper utensils now in private use.

The allies military authorities hold that the Austrian rout in Servia even more than the presence of the landsturm, as well as the landwehr on the firing line, proves that the central empires have raised the maximum number of men.

AGREEMENT OF POWERS.

All conflicts which involve the association of several powers on either side involve for each group of allies the possibility of misunderstanding and friction. Joint or separate responsibility for defeat, dissimilar ambitions, unequal or different motives for the continuance of war, all afford grounds for disharmony.

The governments of the allies are conscious that they are united, not merely by their common desire to break Germany's military preponderance in Europe, but by the territorial and other indemnities which they will take for the cost of the war.

The suffering caused by the war has fallen upon the allies unequally, of course. The Belgians and Servians have suffered most and the British least. Equalizing compensation for these sufferings (if it be possible to use such a term) according to the plans of the allies, will be found after the war.

Servia looks for the annexation of all the Serbo-Croatian districts of Austro-Hungary, an increase of population and territory so great that it can afford to "rectify" its Bulgarian frontier in such a manner as to cool Bulgaria's resentment. It even hopes that Greece may secure enough of Epirus to cede Kavala to Bulgaria. It is the universal belief that Italy will not only get the Trentino and Trieste, but also Avlona and so much of the Albanian littoral as may be strategically neccessary to its defense.

The United Kingdom, if the allies win, will take German Papua to add to the rest of the islands, now administered by the Australian Commonwealth; German East Africa and West Africa and perhaps part of Togoland and the Kameruns.

PLANS OF RUSSIA.

Russia proposes to annex to the empire and to the recreated Kingdom of Poland, the Ruthenian and Polish-speaking districts of Prussia and the Austrian Empire. This means the crown lands of Bukowina and Galicia, east of the Carpathians, the line running thence along the Oder almost to Breslau, north toward Posen and then eastward by Thorn either Danzig or Konigsberg.

More important sentimentally, even, to the Russian, is Constantinople. They want an ice-free port in the Baltic and so much of Ducal Prussia as will afford an outlet to the sea and a military frontier for Poland, but even more, they aspire to fulfill the ambition which goes back to the great Catherine and Peter the Great, to the grand dukes of Moscow, to secure Constantinople, the gate to warm water and the south and the original seat of the orthodox church.

The French and the Belgians hope to share a monetary indemnity of about $10,000,000,000; that is, five times the amount of the indemnity exacted from France in 1870 or twenty times the annual German imperial revenue. France will demand all of Lorraine and a great part of Alsace so that a new line of barrier forts may run from Liege through Luxemburg past Metz to Strassburg and the Swiss frontier. Finally it will be proposed that there shall be a joint occupation of the Kiel Canal to continue until the indemnity is paid, possibly five years after the conclusion of the treaty of peace.

Roumania remains the unknown quantity in the calculations of the allies. Under the influence of its German dynasty, a conservative Cabinet in Roumania so far has resisted popular inclination to join the Russian advance into Austro-Hungary, although there are in Transylvania and in the Banet, over half as many Roumanians as there are in Roumania.

The constant communication between Bucharest and Rome indicates that the two governments contemplate joint intervention. They are united by the same selfish interests—the acquisition from Austria-Hungary of territory inhabited by people who speak respectively Roumanian and Italian.

PROBLEMATICAL FACTORS.

The three problematical factors in the calculation of the allies are:

(1.) The strength of the German resistance to the allied advance when it begins in the early spring.

(2.) The ability of the authorities in the United Kingdom to raise a second million men to add to the million which Lord Kitchener will have landed in Northern France by March 1.

(3.) The extent to which the Austro-German lines must be driven back before the Kaiser and his Cabinet will ask for terms.

ITALIAN TROOPS SENT TO AVLONA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PALERMO (Sicily, via Rome) Dec. 27—The Tenth Regiment of Bersaglieri Sharpshooters have left for Avlona, Albania, where they will arrive tomorrow and replace the bluejackets, who were landed last week to restore order and protect the peaceful inhabitants.

PLAN DEFENSE OF ANTWERP.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 28 (via London, 4:25 a.m.)—The Antwerp correspondent of the Handelsblad states, on the authority of German officers, that there are 200,000 German troops in the Antwerp district and that they have been ordered to defend the position if besieged by the allies.

"The plan of campaign," says the correspondent, "is to defend strongly the retreat from Roulers to Ghent, but to evacuate Ghent if necessary, and defend Antwerp to the last. The inhabitants will be warned and given an opportunity to quit the town.

Three thousand men are employed day and night strengthening the defenses and fortifications, which have been completely altered."

French War Department.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The French War Department, which is still in Bordeaux, will return to Paris January 7.

FINDS CHARRED BODY.

Remains of Wood Chopper Are Discovered in His Cabin in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN JOSE (Cal.) Dec. 27.—The charred body of James Hart, a wood chopper, was found yesterday lying on the burned remnants of his bunk in a cabin on the Mackenzie ranch in the Santa Cruz Mountains. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

The bright, the novel, the startling features of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the things that render it a joyous trip through wonderland, are told of in the Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1.

Thrilling.

FRENCH CAPTURE SCOUTING TAUBE.

Desperate Encounter Ensues as Aviator Falls.

Hand-to-hand Conflict Brings Defeat of Germans.

Trenches Are Also Taken at Point of Bayonet.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BAR-LE-DUC (France) Dec. 9.—The Petit Parisien gives the following account of the capture of a Taube aeroplane and the trenches commanding the Valley of the Suippe.

"The French batteries had been playing on the German positions all day and the observers reported that the fire of the 3-inchers was precise and deadly; consequently the appearance of a Taube flying machine over the battery position was no surprise. The French gunners were commanded to cease firing in order not to give a clue to their whereabouts, and the Taube sailed away, seemingly having failed [illegible] sion. It came back again, [illegible] and after dropping four [illegible] bombs on Sampigneul, it [illegible] few dangerously close to the [illegible] batteries. The position [illegible] discovered and the necessity [illegible] bringing the machine down [illegible] could get back to the German[s] was vital.

"Muskets were aimed from [illegible] direction, machine guns were [illegible] toward it, and even the 3-[inchers] came into action. In a perfect [illegible] of shell and bullets the Taube [illegible] soon in a bad way; it made [illegible] fort to turn and fly, but it [illegible] that it had been hard hit; [illegible] considerably, then obliqued [illegible] the earth and landed with a [illegible] shock in the plain of Aghi[illegible].

"The French infantry had [illegible] the action from the trenches [illegible] machine had no sooner touched [illegible] ground than the entire line [illegible] forward to capture it. The [illegible] front had also been looking [illegible] they came on at double-quick [illegible] fend the machine around which [illegible] two detachments clashed. There [illegible] an indescribable melee for [illegible] minutes, in which it was im[possible] to separate the French and [illegible] Germans.

"The aviator had been killed [illegible] bullet in the forehead when he [illegible] about to disengage his machine [illegible] the Saxons put up so strong [illegible] that the issue had become [illegible] when a joyful cry went up from [illegible] French infantry: 'The dragoons! [the] dragoons!' at full gallop, a squadron of French dragoons came [illegible] from Coda; with lances ready [illegible] precipitated themselves into the [illegible] and put the Saxons to rout.

"The machine was captured [illegible] that was not enough for the [illegible] who charged with the bayonet [illegible] took the trenches that [illegible] the valley of the Suippe."

Rather Quiet.

AUSTRIANS FALL BACK IN DISORDER IN GALICIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Comparative quiet prevails in the western theater of war. In Flanders the cannonading has been intermittent, but in the Argonne region and Alsace, there have been attacks and counter-attacks with no material progress on either side.

French aviators, in the way of a reply to the dropping of bombs on Nancy by the Germans, flew over the aviation hangars of Frescar, one of the railroad stations of Metz, throwing down bombs in their flight.

Notwithstanding the fact that a recent official statement announced that the Germans had ceased their attacks on the Bzura River in Russian Poland, latest advices from Berlin indicate that they are still advancing in that region. Petrograd, however, asserts that along the Bzura and Rawka rivers the fighting of late has been confined to artillery fire.

The Austrians in Galicia, the Russian general staff asserts, have been driven back in the neighborhood of Tarnow, where many prisoners were taken. The Austrians are reported to have retreated in disorder. Similarly they are said to have been forced back from the line running from Zmigrod to Dukla in the Carpathians, with enormous losses, including 10,000 prisoners.

The British raid on the German coast with seaplanes has apparently netted small results. Four of the seven seaplanes were lost and one of the British officers is thought to have been drowned. The attack, however, brought about an unique engagement in which submarines, cruisers, seaplanes, destroyers, aeroplanes and Zeppelins took part.

With the return to Paris January 7 of the Ministry of War from Bordeaux all branches of the French government will again have their headquarters in Paris—whence they departed when the Germans were closely pressing on the capital.

Italy has ordered the cruiser Calabria, at Beirut, Syria, to render any necessary aid to the American cruiser North Carolina, should there be further demonstrations against the departure of Europeans from Turkish territory.

Russia has officially denied the report that she has ceded half of the Island of Sakhalin to Japan.

Emperor Nicholas is again with the Russian army at the front. A regiment of Italian sharpshooters is on its way to Avlona, Albania, to relieve the soldiers landed there last week to put down disorders. None of the powers has protested against [illegible] occupation of Avlona.

Turkey is said to be reinforcing [illegible] troops defending the Dardanelles [illegible] the Bosphorus with soldiers and [ar]tillery from the Adrianople [illegible].

DENY CESSION OF SAKHALIN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 27.—The [Rus]sian government has authorized [illegible] official news agency to deny in [the] most categorical manner the [state]ment that Russia has ceded [illegible] half the Island of Sakhalin [in ex]change for heavy artillery. It [as]serted that the report is absolutely [un]founded.

One of the items given out [by the] German official press bureau [on De]cember 25 stated that [illegible] been received from Copenhagen [to the] effect that Russia had traded [half] of Sakhalin to Japan for [illegible].

Sakhalin Island lies off the [illegible] coast of Asia and is separated [from] the mainland by the Gulf of [illegible]. The southern half was ceded [illegible] by Russia under the treaty [of Ports]mouth.

WALSH ON THE TARIFF.

Declares Employe[illegible] tected as Well [illegible] Speech at Kansas [City].

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. [illegible] protective tariff, which [illegible] employer but which fails to protect [the] employee, is worse than [illegible] according to Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the United States Commission [on] Industrial Relations, who spoke [in the] Labor Temple here tonight.

"The legislative body which [grants] a subsidy to a manufacturer [illegible] as easily and legally make [illegible] the employees of that manufacturer share in the benefits supposed [to be] derived," he said. Mr. Walsh [illegible] that the money derived from [the sub]sidy was often used to prevent [work]ers from organizing [illegible] obtain their rights, and [illegible] public officers to the [illegible] the employer."

"If the government has the [right to] subsidize an industry in the [name] of social welfare," he concluded, "it follows that the government [has the] right to suspend that protection [to] the industry which refuses to [allow] its workers to organize, which [em]ploys children in its plants, or [which] pays a wage less than that [illegible] to the boasted American [standard of] living."

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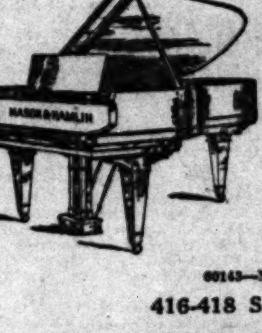

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Efforts of Science Fail Before Pneumonia.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

…FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Most … Patrick William Riordan, … of the archdiocese of … of the Catholic church, … his home in this city at … today. Archbishop Riordan … a severe cold five days ago … developed into pneumonia. … condition of the late prelate … decided turn for the worse … after midnight, when it was … necessary to use stimulants to … heart action. Rising tempera… rapid respiration and a weakening of the pulse con… until death occurred.

…shop Riordan was the sec… archbishop of San Francisco. He … Archbishop Alemany, who … in 1853. He was born … 1841, at Chatham, N. B., … his boyhood at Chicago. … was received at the … of Notre Dame, Notre …

… he journeyed to Louvain, … in pursuit of higher educa… …ning to Chicago two years … the chair of theology in … of St. Mary's of the …

… the pastorates he filled were … Ill.; St. Mary's Church, … and St. James's Church, … On September 16, 1883, he … consecrated titular bishop of … and coadjutor with the right … to the see of San Fran… which he was elevated De… 1884.

…shop Riordan had an exten… acquaintance among the hier… of the Roman Catholic church … this country and at Rome. … serious illness which oc… in Chicago a year ago, the … inquiries concerning him which … all parts of the United … and Europe denoted the high … in which he was held.

… prelate was to have cele… the golden jubilee of his priest… 1915, and arrangements were … made to observe the item with … pomp and ceremony the … of the archdiocese of San … could command at a time … prelates would be in … from the leading na… the world.

…Reverend Edward J. Hanna, … bishop of San Francisco, was … tonight as a possible suc… the vacant archepiscopacy. … Catholic Church has an … formula for determining … which is as follows: … removable rectors of the arch… the chancellor and the vicar… sitting as electors, select three … The names of these three … are submitted to the suf… bishops of the archdiocese, … in this instance the bish… Sacramento, Los Angeles and … City, to give judgment on … candidate. The archbishops in … United States then act on the list … accompanied by their report … to the Pope at Rome, who … the appointment.

… Hanna is said to have been … by Archbishop Riordan as his …

…representatives of twelve Catholic … of San Francisco met at the … episcopal residence today and … for night watch which will … at St. Mary's Cathedral, … the body of Archbishop Rior… lie in state.

…night watch was so arranged … society at all times will be … at the bier. The body … borne to the cathedral at 5 … tomorrow and a requiem mass … sung there Thursday at 10 … according to tentative plans … funeral made today, the pro… will proceed from the cathe… at noon, Thursday.

… his long incumbency the … prelate devoted himself as…siduously to the needs of the archdiocese of which he was the head. The earthquake and fire of 1906, which destroyed so many of the churches in the see of San Francisco, added greatly to his cares and labors, but he was most active in the work of rehabilitation and relief.

The establishment of Newman Hall at Berkeley, as a gathering place for Catholic students at the University of California, was one of his notable achievements, and was followed this year by the building of another Newman Hall under his direction at the State Normal School in San Jose.

When the violation of the neutrality of Belgium by the Germans brought starvation to its inhabitants, Archbishop Riordan was among the foremost of those working for the relief of the sufferers. At his direction, all collections at both masses and vespers during a recent Sunday were devoted to this cause throughout the archdiocese of San Francisco.

Patrick William Riordan.

San Francisco prelate, known throughout the world for his intellectual ability, who died on the eve of his golden jubilee.

DUKE NICHOLAS HOLDS INITIATIVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 28, 3:20 a.m.—The Morning Post's Petrograd correspondent, declaring that it is still a long way to Warsaw, even should the Germans succeed in forcing the passage of the rivers in Poland, says the Germans have taken nothing by assault—neither towns nor positions—since Russia decided to reconstruct her strategic frontier.

"Tactically," the correspondent continues, "Germany is attacking with all attendant disadvantages, while Grand Duke Nicholas still holds the strategic initiative. I have heard an interesting explanation from an official in high position as to why Russia is doing all the work at present.

"He declares that the French and English could turn the Germans out of their present positions in Belgium and in France at any moment, but they have not sufficient forces to do anything more at present and, supposing the Germans were beaten back to the Rhine, their position would become infinitely stronger, while the allies would be not a whit nearer to defeating the German army, which the allied commanders fully realize will require millions of men."

Two Men Die from Cold.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—Two men died of cold and exposure here yesterday and both legs of a third man were so badly frozen it is believed amputation will be necessary. Numerous cases of frostbite and other suffering were reported, while the temperature varied between 23 and 2 degs. above zero.

Exploits.

RAIDS ON GERMAN LINES ON LORRAINE FRONTIER.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

… (France) Dec. 9.—Civil… who seek striking evidence of … must go several miles out of … toward the Lorraine frontier. … of B—— is the center of … of French cavalry which … in the first marches of … at the beginning of August, … retreat which followed, in the … in the region of Luneville … the Woevre, to come back … the first theater of its ex… At present this indefatigable … is at rest, though it sends pa… reconnoitering parties every … directions and makes raids … German lines or communica…

… curious exemplification of … characteristics of modern warfare … division, though constantly … for four months, never has … to charge the German … The chief object of the … troops in this region has … prevent troops of the Germans … detached for use elsewhere.

… here also that the sight of the … uniform of the Alpine chas… most familiar. These wiry, … enduring troops have ren… valuable service in this war. … through a forest of the Vosges, … suddenly into a little clearing … sees a formidable rush … men in blue, which stops … here and there and rushes … It is a battalion of the Al… chasseurs, camping in the re… for the moment, but … continuing its exercises in … to get out of training. The … these troops are very young … well selected, for they are … the advance guard, and … than the troops coming be… obliged to resort to an in… initiative. Here, within sight … —a crest of the Vos… these chasseurs carried at … of the war by a gallant … they are like boys at play—seemingly unconscious of the booming of the cannon that continues over the mountains in the direction of Thann. Their losses have been severe. The battalion camping here in the clearing has left 300 dead, including ten officers, and 700 wounded, including fourteen officers, on the field of battle. The voids have been filled with new recruits taken from the bases, young men only, and some of them of the class of 1914, but all of them made of the same hardy, wiry stuff that is required for an Alpine chasseur.

In the retreat of the French army from Upper Alsace these troops covered themselves with glory, especially the Thirteenth and Twenty-second regiments, supported by two regiments of cavalry fighting on foot.

These troops protected the retreat of the entire Fourteenth Army Corps. They had pushed over the crest of the Vosges at Bonhomme and at a critical stage of the operations received the order to defend the peak of Mandray, the possession of which was necessary in order to secure the safety of the artillery of the retreating army. For five long days, 1700 strong, they remained there under the fire of three German brigades, supported by a brigade of artillery.

The evening of the fifth day, not having slept an hour in 120, they still found the courage to charge with the bayonet and put to flight a regiment of Pomeranian riflemen who were advancing under the cover of a terrific artillery fire to force the passage. When it was over, of the 1700 there remained barely 700. The commanding officer, Verlet Hanus, had been killed and twenty of his officers died at his side. One of the companies which, on strict orders, had evacuated Sausey, was reduced to fifty men, with one wounded officer and two other dying officers. The sacrifice had not been useless, for the stand they had taken had protected the retreat of the bulk of the troops, and the Pomeranians abandoned the pursuit.

Washington.

HOPE TO AVERT EXTRA SESSION.

All Necessary Legislation will be Pushed.

Appropriation Measures have the Right of Way.

Immigration Bill is Likely to be Sidetracked.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—With leaders in both Houses still determined to push through all necessary legislation in order to avert an extra session after March 4 next, Congress will reconvene Tuesday, after one of the shortest holiday recesses on record.

Outside of appropriation bills and a few general measures in the House, there remains much for the Senate to do; in fact, the entire legislative programme outlined at the opening of the session by the President is yet to be accomplished. Although the immigration bill with the literacy test still remains the unfinished business of the Senate, appropriation measures have the right of way and the immigration fight begun last week is likely to be replaced by the District of Columbia supply bill early in the week.

IMMIGRATION BILL.

As to the immigration bill, there is a growing disposition on the part of some Democrats to sidetrack it if possible, if not to defeat it. Senator Lewis of Illinois, after a recent conference with the President, said that the President was opposed to such a form of immigration restriction. The Illinois Senator threw down the gauge of battle over this issue to its champions, with the further announcement that he intended to introduce an amendment at the proper time to strike out the literacy test altogether.

Some Senators believe enough votes can be found to pass such an amendment. Such an outcome, in the opinion of Senators—Democrats and Republicans as well—who favor the measure, would operate to defeat the bill entirely. Senator Smith of South Carolina, chairman of the Immigration Committee, proposes to keep up the fight for the bill, literacy test and all, and thinks President Wilson will be forced to give it his official approval or disapproval.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT.

Stirring times that will rival in interest the fight over the prohibition constitutional amendment last week are expected soon after January 1, when a rule will be reported to provide for debate on a resolution for submission of a constitutional amendment to extend suffrage to women. Suffrage advocates and its opponents have been exerting heroic efforts to bring back a vote on the rule and resolution. Representative Henry, chairman of the Rules Committee, plans to submit the resolution within a few days.

Leaders in both branches are looking forward to prolonged discussion over the naval and military establishments which have been attacked.

GERMAN CAPTAIN IS SENTENCED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 28 (via London, 4:12 a.m.)—According to the Hamburg Echo, a court-martial has been held at Wilhelmshaven to try the captain and the commander of the German cruiser Yorck, which was sunk by a mine in Jade Bay in November. Three hundred members of the crew were lost.

The officers were charged with disobedience, negligence and manslaughter, and were found guilty, according to the Echo. Capt. Vieper was sentenced to two years' confinement in a fortress and Commander Cleve to one year imprisonment.

The Yorck, according to an official dispatch from Berlin, struck a mine in the chain, blocking the entrance to Jade Bay November 4, during a thick fog. Jade Bay is an inlet of the North Sea near Wilhelshaven.

WILSON'S COMING TRIP.

Will Reply to Recent Attacks on His Mexican Policy When He Returns from Coast.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—President Wilson, it became known today, plans to speak in a number of cities on his return trip from the San Francisco exposition next spring, and his friends expect him to reply to recent attacks on his Mexican policy and other administration policies.

It will be the first trip across the continent that Mr. Wilson has made since becoming President. Already the President has received invitations to speak in many cities and an announcement of his itinerary is expected in the next few weeks. The War and Navy Departments are now at work on the plans for the trip to Panama, San Diego and San Francisco, which will be made on a battleship.

Brigantine in Distress.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HALIFAX, Dec. 27.—The French brigantine Amedee was reported by the wireless of the steamer Haverford tonight to be in distress in latitude 45.49 north, longitude 46.41 west. The steamer Maine, bound from Philadelphia for London, was standing by, but the heavy gale and high sea made it impossible to take off the crew, the message stated.

The solid wall of gold, composed of millions of oranges and lemons, which will be a feature of the National Orange Show at San Bernardino next year is described in the Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1.

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THE WEATHER BACK EAST.

Middle West and East is Warming Up, but It's Still Very Cold in the Northern States.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—More moderate weather prevails generally over the entire country today. Minnesota still has 18 below, North Dakota 22 below and Iowa 10 below, but the East and Middle West are warmer. Chicago's maximum was 26 above. The Ohio Valley was 10 degrees above this. Western Canada ranges from 10 to 24 below. The South continues cold. New Orleans is 10 degrees under Los Angeles and Jacksonville, Fla., 25 degrees under. Other temperatures:

City.	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	46	..
Boise, Idaho	32	12
Boston, Mass.	24	..
Buffalo, N. Y.	26	..
Calgary, Alberta	32	..
Chicago, Ill.	26	..
Denver, Colo.	40	..
Des Moines, Iowa	18	..
Dodge City, Kans.	28	..
Duluth, Minn.	6	..
Durango, Colo.	40	..
Galveston, Tex.	52	..
Havre, Mont.	20	..
Helena, Mont.	42	24
Huron, S. Dak.	22	..
Jacksonville, Fla.	38	..
Kamloops, B. C.	32	..
Kansas City, Mo.	34	..
Knoxville, Tenn.	38	..
Memphis, Tenn.	44	..
Minneapolis, Minn.	10	..
Modena, Utah	38	..
Montreal, Quebec	10	..
Moorhead, Minn.	8	..
New Orleans, La.	52	..
New York, N. Y.	26	..
North Platte, Nebr.	18	..
Pittsburgh, Pa.	32	..
Rapid City, S. Dak.	40	..
Roswell, N. Mex.	30	..
St. Louis, Mo.	34	..
Salt Lake City, Utah	34	..
Sheridan, Wyo.	38	..
Swift Current, Sask.	12	..
Tampa, Fla.	56	..
Washington, D. C.	28	..
Williston, N. Dak.	8	..
Winnipeg, Manitoba	4	..

George M. Sargent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 27.—George M. Sargent, 56 years old, of No. 5466 Everett avenue, general agent of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad, died at his residence tonight from apoplexy. He was a Mason and a Knight Templar.

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Teach Children About Trees.

[American Forestry:] A movement is on foot at Shreveport, La., to make it possible for the school children of that city to secure an education in tree knowledge. It is the intention of those behind the movement to have on hand at all times samples of all trees in the bark and after being manufactured so that the school children may acquire a knowledge that may be of use to them in later years. Another movement on foot in that city, is to have all of the trees adorning the highways of the city, labeled so that not only the children, but grown people will be able to ascertain the difference between the various kinds of southern trees.

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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Dec. 26.—Dean Hunt of the College of Agriculture, is enthusiastic over the possibilities of the new citrus experiment station to be established at Riverside.

He says: "We have $125,000 available right now, and our work will begin as soon as plans can be completed. We have even announced the opening of the graduate school of tropical agriculture for next August. At that time we will be ready to receive students who intend to do research or special work. The Riverside plant will be the most important research station in the State, and in other branches will rank second only to the Davis Farm.

"The work which will be done at the new station may be divided into three main divisions, research and investigation work, instruction to students and popular instruction, such as lectures, special meetings and individual help. The services of the station experts will be free to all. Even now we have two men at Riverside whose main work is to answer calls from the outside, and to make the results of researches and experiments the common knowledge of the nontechnical fruit grower."

BUILDINGS AND LABORATORIES.

Plans for buildings, according to Dean Hunt, have not yet been made. The uncertainty as to the location of the new station made it impossible to plan very far in this direction. However, the work of designing the new buildings will soon be put in the hands of an architect. The most important of the buildings will be the laboratories, of which there will be several.

There will be a laboratory for the study of plant pathology, for the study of fertilization, for the study of entomology and for various other branches of the science of agriculture. These laboratories will be equipped with the best instruments and apparatus that can be obtained. As they will be the real heart of the whole station no expense will be spared to make them complete.

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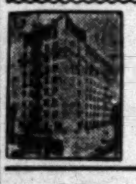

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[The Atlantic:] The Department of Agriculture has been so successful that there can be little doubt that the productivity of land in Germany is proportionately greater for the labor and capital invested than in any other country in the world, and so far-reaching have been its operations that the imperial government claims that over 90 per cent. of the land in Germany is productive. The definiteness with which the Germans have catalogued the land, located the areas on which grain can be grown, and computed the maximum product from those varied areas, equals the exactitude with which they have tabulated the army. We should, indeed, be guilty of stupidity if we supposed that the men directing the destinies of Germany had omitted from their elaborate calculations provision for so elemental a necessity as an entirely adequate supply of food. They knew on the first day of August precisely how much food they had on hand, and precisely where the new supplies were coming from. Not improbably they could have furnished a list of the men and women who would sow and reap the future harvests.

Profits on Cavalry Horses.

[Boston News Bureau:] Profits of $650,000 were realized on one consignment of 10,000 horses recently shipped to Europe for army purposes. The profit per head for purchasing and rounding up the animals was $15. The contract for delivering the horses at their European destination called for the payment of $100 per head, but actual delivery was effected, including ocean transportation, at a cost of $50 a head. This contract, therefore, netted its holder $500,000, which in conjunction with the purchaser's commission, showed a total profit of $650,000 was made by two persons who engineered the trade.

What is Los Angeles going to do to entertain her hosts of visitors in 1915? The Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1, tells it all and tells it well.

City Restaurants

Reserve Your Tables For New Year's Eve
The Angelus Grill
Will Reopen
Thursday, Dec. 31st
Special Musical Programme

Levy's
—LADIES—
When down town, lunch at "LEVY'S"
Noonday Lunch 50c—Music
Special Care Given Ladies. 743 So. Spring

For Catering See "Christopher"
—the Home of Pre-eminent Quality

SUPERB MUSICAL PROGRAMS
EVERY EVENING BY INTERNATIONALLY FAMOUS ARTISTS AT THE
BIG, GAY, AND COOL —CAFE BRISTOL— WHERE GOOD FELLOWS DINE

Superb Routes of Travel

Less Than 3 Days to Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis
Lowest rates.
For information call or write
C. A. THURSTON, G. A., C. & N. W. Ry., 605 South Spring St.

Los Angeles Hotels and Apartments

HOTEL PEPPER 7TH AND BURLINGTON STREETS. American Plan—UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT. The best close-in, first-class family hotel in the city. Direct car service to all depots. Rates: American plan, $2.50 per day and up. Geo. W. Henderson, Proprietor. Wilshire 175; Home 51234.

Relief.

MUCH FOOD SENT BELGIANS.

Fourteen Ships' Cargoes have Landed at Rotterdam.

Most Remote Provinces Get a Share of Supplies.

Total Cost so Far Reaches Nearly Two Millions.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Remarkable progress in the work of getting food, clothing and medical supplies to the suffering Belgians is shown in the first official report of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, which was received here today from the headquarters in London.

It tabulates the work up to December 7, at which time fourteen relief ships had arrived in Rotterdam, bearing cargoes totalling 31,881 tons, valued at $1,617,692. At that time the contents of these ships had been delivered to the people in eleven provinces and eight large cities.

In addition to these cargoes, the report says that eighteen lighters had been loaded in Holland with food loaned by the Dutch government for immediate relief. These cargoes consisted chiefly of food, although they included 336 packages of clothing, 191 packages of medical stores and much lumber to provide shelter for inhabitants of villages destroyed.

The distribution of food from Rotterdam into the most remote provinces was accomplished in spite of the inadequate transportation facilities. The report continues:

"The province of Brabant, which includes Brussels and Louvain, and is therefore the most populous and most easily accessible, has naturally received the greatest quantity of food, 17,537 tons of foodstuffs, including 7269 tons of wheat and forty-one packages of clothing having been distributed there before December 4.

"Liege and the surrounding province of Namur had received the next greatest quantity, 3585 tons of food, mostly wheat, and 200 packages of clothing."

Hainault, the most southerly province, is in deep distress, the commission says, because it includes the mining and manufacturing towns of Mons, Charleroi and Chimay, where most of the early fighting occurred, and where the large industrial population was thrown out of work. Transportation is difficult because the canal system does not reach it and supplies must be sent by railroad when the Germans are not using it for military purposes.

Nevertheless, 2282 tons of food were distributed in Hainault and East Flanders received more than 2000 tons. Less has been done for West Flanders, where there still is fighting, and the commission, up to December 4, was able to get only 101 tons of food into that territory. Luxembourg, hilly and difficult of access, has received 583 tons.

In the week ending December 4 a special consignment of 704 tons of American corn was sent to Louvain, which was then on the verge of starvation.

The commission says the medical supplies were not distributed in Belgium, but were used for Belgian refugees in Holland.

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY TALKS HEART TOPICS.

Buying Him a Christmas Gift.

"Oh, in this mocking world too fast
The doubting field o'ertakes our youth!
Better to be cheated to the last
Than lose the blessed hope of truth."

As Christmastime draws near young girls far and near are wondering what they ought to buy for their beaux. This is all very well for the young woman of means who wouldn't miss a few dollars, but it means a whole lot to the girl who has to earn her every dollar. She calls him her beau because she has met him a few times at girls' houses and he has walked home with her and perhaps dropped in to see her of an evening. These girls believe it is expected of them to make Christmas presents to such men. She has to count her pennies, but not for the world would she give anything that looked cheap. She remembers that remark of his that the gloves he was wearing were too thin for cold weather. She concludes a pair of gloves would be just the thing to give him. The $2 which they represent mean ever so much sacrifice on her part, denying herself actual necessities. She went without her lunches and saved the money; walked three miles every night after business hours to save car fare.

I wish I could impress upon such young women the foolishness of buying gifts for men who have not even declared themselves. There are some men who openly boast of the number of presents they get from silly girls, declaring that they paid a little attention to them before Christmas, but dropped them immediately after. One man will show his chums a dozen pairs of gloves from as many different girls, to say nothing of neckties, knit wristlets, silk mufflers and even gold cuff buttons. All of these were mostly from girls who had to pinch cruelly to save the money they represented.

Christmas solves the problem of dressing well on a slender income. Many a young man does not know what to make of it—receiving a Christmas gift from a girl to whom he has been but ordinarily polite when they met. His first impulse is to box it up and send it right back. But when his sister pleads hard for it, he turns it over to her. It saves the sister from having to put her hand in her own pocket to buy something for her best fellow.

If a young woman is engaged to a young man, it is permissible to send him a token of remembrance, such as a book, a neat card, expressing Christmas greeting, or something of that kind. It will warm his heart quite as much as though it had cost dollars instead of cents. Sensible men do not expect presents from girls. It is unwise enough in good times for working girls to make gifts to men friends; when work is scarce and pay cut down, it is the height of folly to indulge in gift-making save to one's near friends or our relatives. Getting a present from a girl does not promote "serious intentions." When he stops calling that's where her regret comes in.

MISS LIBBEY'S REPLY TO YOUR LETTERS.

Correct name and address must be given, to insure attention, not to print. Use ink. Write on one side of paper only. Address Miss Libbey, No. 916 President street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Do Not Mean to Flirt.

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am a girl of 17, considered good looking. A young man of 23 comes to see me. I go out with a few young ladies and have a good, honest time. I do not mean to flirt. I really love the young man. He wants me to cut out going with my young lady friends; says if he marries me he would never let me go out unless he is with me. Please advise. ANXIOUS MISS."

You are too young to spend your time going with many lady friends, as well as a young man beauing you constantly. In the future, you may steadily keep company with one you decide to marry. At present beautify your mind by duties and studies. Let the future take care of itself.

She Wants to Choose Aright.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am 20 years old and have kept company with a young man a year and a half. He is good looking, very gallant and treats me nicely. I have positive proof he visits girls of low station. He has admitted that he loves me, wants to marry me. I simply adore him. Do you think he will be true to me if I marry him? Have I not the same right to demand purity in him as he has from me? My character is above reproach. I have been carefully brought up by one of the best of mothers. Do please advise me whether or not to marry him. I have a fine position as stenographer. STELLA.

You are anxious to choose rightly. Having a good position should help you to be careful. I do not see how you can care for a man who takes up his time when away from you with girls who, I infer, flirt and only care to pass time with him. You might blame yourself in after years if you wed such a man.

A Lovers' Quarrel.

Dear Miss Libbey: 1. Two years ago I was going with a young lady I loved very much. I lost her friendship by a quarrel. Went with several girls since. Do not care for any of them. I am thinking of her constantly. I wrote her a letter some time ago, with no results. A friend of her's told me she is not going with anyone; that she often mentions my name. Please advise me what to do to regain her friendship.

2. When a young man calls on a girl for the first time, and on arriving at her home he is met at the door by a member of the family he does not know, what is the proper thing for him to say? GEORGE.

1. Write or call again upon the young lady. Do not accept defeat. Perseverance will win her eventually if she still cares for you. 2. Good evening (or afternoon) as the case may be, is Miss So-and-So in?

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

BUSINESS SPIES.

American Shippers in New York Annoyed by Espionage in the Interest of Belligerent Nations.

[New York Commercial:] Near at home, we are told, a phase of the war which has not attracted general attention has proved a source of annoyance to American shippers and producers and has caused them to take precautions which under other conditions would not be considered necessary. There is ample evidence, in the minds of a number of business houses, that every large nation engaged in the great war has organized a system of espionage in New York City and other ports for the purpose of keeping the belligerent governments informed as to character and quality of materials bought for abroad, how they are shipped, what is their destination and other details which may be interesting.

Under cover, there is being bought in the United States thousands of tons of steel, thousands of tons of wire, cargoes of foodstuffs and other material which may be absolute or conditional contraband destined for use by the armies at war or by the peoples affected.

It is stated that the character of the stevedore on the docks has undergone a remarkable change during the past two months and that men who were formerly engaged in collecting evidence relating to divorce cases are now endeavoring to obtain data relating to shipments of everything from steel and iron to potatoes, dry goods and notions.

Business houses have been visited by individuals, more or less plausible, offering to sell, offering to buy, representing alleged news and trade papers, asking queer questions and altogether revealing that the nations of Europe consider the United States a large factor among neutrals.

Indian Troops and Winter.

[London Chronicle:] The statement made to our special correspondent in Northern France by a high dignitary from Peshawar, that "we see more snow in our parts than you ever see in England," will help to remove a popular misconception. When our Indian troops landed at Marseille German newspapers expressed the belief—no doubt the wish fathered the thought—that England's mahogany warriors would never survive a winter campaign in Western Europe. It is often forgotten that in India you can find any kind of climate. In the northern zone, where, curiously enough, extremes of heat are greatest, the night temperature on some of the elevated plains often falls to within a dozen degrees of zero. Troops accustomed to a weather glass that may rise or drop 60 degrees or so in twenty-four hours are not likely to succumb to the rigors of a French—or German—winter.

Long Beach.

ONE MAY DIE, OTHERS INJURED IN WRE[CK]

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 27.—Mrs. G. M. Hany, No. 423 East Ocean avenue, may die as a result of a collision of an auto and a Third-street electric car at the intersection of Third street and Elm avenue, at 4:05 o'clock this afternoon. She suffered a skull fracture and lies unconscious at the Seaside hospital.

Others injured in the accident were Iris Hany, aged 6, hand lacerated; Myron Hany, aged 5, dislocated shoulder; Louva Sheldon, No. 121 Elm avenue, aged 19, arm wrenched; Earl Sheldon, aged 15, sprained back, and Ralph Sheldon, cut over right ear, unconscious. The Sheldon children are offsprings of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Sheldon.

G. M. Hany, who was the only member of the party ... driving the machine ... street. ... Third-street car ... unable ... The car ... the car ... though ... rate of ... an hour ...

The occupants ... J. J. M[ottell] ... ambulance ... taken ...

Another ... Eighth ... this morning ... striking ... No. 13[24] ... found ... jammed ... auto ... of the ...

Reminiscent.

DENIES OFFER OF IMMUNI[TY]

Indiana Democrats ... Tried, Says Dailey.

And the Grand Jury ... where Near Through.

Mayor of Terre Haute ... to Raise Big Bonds.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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Mrs. Roberts procured a ... and was expected to return ... to Terre Haute, where it is ... stood she will attempt to pro... isfactory security to gain ... band's release.

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Reminiscent.

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Mayor of Terre Haute F[ails] to Raise Big Bonds.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Dec. [illegible] Mayor Roberts of Terre Haute, arrested for alleged violation of [illegible] tion laws and brought here last [illegible] and placed in jail in default of [illegible] 000 bond demanded by the [illegible] ment, will be arraigned January [illegible] Mayor Roberts's wife came to Indianapolis today in an effort to [obt]ain her husband's release, but [was t]old this could not be done on [Sun]day.

Mrs. Roberts procured a blank [bo]nd and was expected to return [to] Terre Haute, where it is [under]stood she will attempt to procure [sati]sfactory security to gain her [hus]band's release.

Although only ninety-three of [the] 126 men, who are said to have [been i]ndicted, have been arrested, no [more] will be taken into custody at the [pres]ent time.

Further action in the case is [ex]pected when the Federal grand [jury] reconvenes here, January 4, as a [res]ult of the indictment last Wed[nesday] of Mayor Roberts and the major[ity of] his official family.

The real story of the alleged [con]spiracy to corrupt the election, merely hinted in the indictment, is said, the Federal authorities [in]dicating that they will not expose [their] hand until the trial is called. [Fr]ank C. Dailey, United States District [At]torney for Indiana, who is in [per]sonal charge of the grand jury [in]vestigation, states that immunity [has] been offered to none.

Mayor Roberts is a candidate [for] the Democratic nomination for [Gov]ernor in 1916 and has been the D[em]ocratic leader in Terre Haute only [a] short time, having risen rapidly [in] politics. He declares that political enemies have attacked him.

In 1910 he was appointed City [En]gineer of Terre Haute, and while holding that position, organized [the] City Council against the Mayor, [who] later discharged Roberts. Later Rob[erts] was made county chairman [of] the Democratic party and not o[nly] nominated his slate in the primary but carried it through in the elec[tion] of 1912. As the next step in political advancement, Roberts [be]came the Democratic candidate for Mayor and was elected. During [the] election men were slugged at [the] polls, election officials driven from polling places and before the [day] was over, appeals were made to G[ov.] Samuel M. Ralston to take a h[and].

A grand jury investigated the [elec]tion and returned indictments ag[ainst] Roberts and a number of his [sup]porters. Roberts was placed on [trial] and after a hearing, during which male spectators were searched [for] firearms to prevent a shooting a[ffray], he was acquitted.

Since his elevation to the [Mayor's] chair of Terre Haute, Roberts [has] been almost continuously in the [lime]light, figuring in a number of [cases] in court. The second day after [he] became Mayor he and his Board [of] Safety were haled into court [on a] contempt charge over the dis[missal] of two patrolmen, but were acquit[ted]. Within the last year he was [fined] for contempt by Judge A. B. A[nder]son of the Federal Court, for v[iolat]ing a court order regarding [a] sewer work.

Then came the election of [No]vember, which was declared by [Terre] Hauteians to have been wo[rse than] the one the year before, and [this] was the cause of the arrests [dur]ing Christmas night.

When the grand jury com[pletes its] investigation of Terre Haute [elec]tions it will take up, according [to] Dailey, conditions here in In[dian]apolis, which, in the last election [are] said to have rivalled Terre Haute [con]ditions in many precincts, and in Evansville, where a numb[er of] organizations have requested Dailey to make an investigation.

Economy on the Battlef[ield].

[Leslie's Weekly:] One of [the in]teresting things about the Fr[ench in] this war is their wonderful e[conomy]. An officer one day took me to a military depot to show me the [gath]ered spoils from the battlefield [of] Rheims. There were heaps of [Ger]man knapsacks made from leather with the hair of the [hide] on the outside, big shells for the siege guns, even German [uniforms] washed and hung up to dry. [But] what interested me was a [heap of] empty German shells from [the] seven-millimeter guns. I [asked the] captain why they took such [care of] those empty shells that would [not fit] French guns. He replied [that the] brass was very valuable and [would] be taken to the foundries [and made] for the seventy-five-millimeter [guns] for the French army. In some [cases] the French got the dead horses [of the] Uhlans, skinned them and [put the] meat up for chicken food.

[Long] Beach.

[TWO] OTHERS [INJU]RED IN WREC[K]

[BY DIRECT CO]RRESPONDENCE.]

[illegible] member of the party not [illegible] driving the machine south [illegible] street. He says that he [illegible] Third-street car approaching [illegible] unable to make the foot-[illegible] The car is a Ford. It [illegible] the car. Motorman Lo[illegible] though he was merely [illegible] rate of not more than [illegible] an hour, expected the auto to [illegible]

The car was wrecked and [the occu]pants thrown onto the [illegible] J. J. Mottell was nearby [illegible] the ambulance, and the [illegible] taken to the hospital.

Another Ford came [illegible] Eighth street and [illegible] this morning. In trying [illegible] striking another auto, J. [illegible] No. 1324 Pasadena av[enue] found that the steering [gear] jammed. The collision [illegible] auto turning completely [illegible] of the occupants were [illegible]

Classified Liners.

[illegible] Classified rates. The rate for inserting [illegible] ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each [illegible]; in the Sunday issue, 1½c per word each [illegible]; minimum charge, 25c; except under the [following] classifications, the rate for which is 2c [per word] daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum [illegible] daily, 35c Sunday: "Society Meetings," [illegible], "Special Notices," "Church Notices, [illegible]," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to [Loan," "Sal]ary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medi[cal," "De]tectives," "Sanatoriums" and "Baths and [illegible]."

[The] Times reserves the right to classify all ad[vertis]ements under appropriate headings.

[Minim]um space for classified advertisements or[dered] for more than one insertion, 14 words.

[Sun]day real estate advertisements, to be classified [proper]ly, must be in The Times office before 8 [p.m. Fri]day night. Other classified "Wants," [illegible] etc., received over counter or by tele[phone] until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads received after [these] hours for each division will be inserted [under the] heading, "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ [cents] per word.

[The Sun]day circulation of The Times exceeds [illegible] copies, and more "liners" are regularly [printed] in its columns than in the five other Los [Angeles] newspapers combined.

[Telephone] your want advertisements. Ring up [The] Times, Main 8200, Home 10391, any time [of day] or night, and secure prompt and careful [attention].

[The] Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume [respon]sibility for errors of any kind occurring in [telephone] advertisements.

[The] Times will not be responsible for more [than] one incorrect insertion of any advertisement [ordered] for more than one time.

[Advert]isers should retain receipts given by The [Times] in payment for "liners," as no mistake can [be rect]ified without them.

[The] Times will not accept phone or verbal or[ders] to discontinue or change "till forbid" ad[vertise]ments.

[The] Times constantly endeavors to render its [illegible] satisfactory and efficient service, and it will [appreci]ate complaints of, and make a proper ad[justm]ent for any material errors it may make in [its] announcements.

"[Be] quick to kick if things seem wrong.
[But] kick to us, and make it strong."

[INS]TANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.
[For] the convenience of persons who may desire [to re]ply to classified advertisements printed in The [Times], and communications to this newspaper, and [for "li]ner" and other advertisements inserted, [illegible] letter boxes have been placed in various [downt]own buildings for the purpose indicated. [Collec]tions will be made from these boxes every [illegible]

[Each] piece of advertising copy must contain the [name] and address of the advertiser, number of in[sertions], and heading under which it is desired [that] the announcement be printed.
[The] boxes are located as follows:

[illegible] BLDG., 143 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[BROAD]WAY CENTRAL BLDG., 424 S. Broadway. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 429 S. Broadway. (Near elevator in lobby.)
[illegible] TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Near elevator in lobby.)
[illegible] BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., SIXTH AND SPRING STS. (Near elevator in lobby.)
[illegible] BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (In lobby near elevator.)
[H. W.] HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator; Fourth-street lobby.)
[H. W.] HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
[illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 738 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby rear of elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 726 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
[illegible] BLDG., 9TH, SPRING AND MAIN. (In elevator shaft No. 4.)
[illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
[illegible] TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (South U. S. Mail Box.)
[illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Near elevator in Lobby.)
[illegible] ELECTRIC BLDG., 606-10 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[SAN FER]NANDO BLDG., 406 S. Main st. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

[Loca]tion of additional boxes will be pub[lished] as they are installed.
[illegible] CONTEMPORARIES PLEASE COPY.

[SPE]CIAL NOTICES—

[illegible]—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF [illegible] telephone attachments, which are [illegible] in connection with coupon books, [illegible] 75 cents each, the coupons being [illegible] classified advertising in THE TIMES. [Phone Main] 8200 or Home 10391, and our repre[sentat]ive will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," [illegible] at the same time for the coupons de[sired]. "REDIPHONE" only will be deliv[ered] to each purchaser.

[FOR SA]LE — CHEAP, 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING [picture c]abinets for displaying 8x10 photographic [illegible]. Can be used for advertising pur[poses] and make good income producers. Apply [E. N.] MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

[illegible] THE SIMPLEST, THE CHEAPEST [and] best weather strip for casement windows, [illegible] no defacing of window and guaranteed [illegible] J. C. RILEY, 1565 Sunset Blvd. Wil[shire] 570.

[ILLEG]ED ADVERTISEMENTS—[illegible] the real estate section of Sunday's Times will [be pr]inted under the heading of "Too Late to [Classify]" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

[CESSP]OOLS CLEANED IN ONE OR TWO LOADS [by] the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO. Phones: [illegible] Wilshire 592.

[FOR Q]UICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO [Times] "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in [downt]own office buildings. The locations of [the] boxes are printed in the first column of [The] Times "Liner" section.

[PERS]ONAL— Business.

[FOR S]ALE — CHEAP, 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING-[picture c]abinets for displaying 8x10 photographic [illegible]. Can be used for advertising purposes [and ma]ke good income producers. Apply E. N. MAR[TIN, New] Times Bldg.

[PERSON]AL— MRS. MASSON, [illegible] palmist of London, Eng., may be con[sulted] at 522 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring [illegible] conscientious and reliable hand readings [from] one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

[PERSON]AL—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS [of] The Times are requested to submit copy for [adver]tisements in the Sunday issue as early as [possible].

[PERSON]AL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROL[oger] and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles; [illegible] practice; highest grade of work. High-class [patronage] solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

[PERSON]AL—WANT THE ADDRESS OF G. SHER[illegible], formerly in the Central Bldg. This is im[portant]; answer at once. Address P, box 140, [TIMES] OFFICE.

[PERSON]AL—WANTED—INFORMATION AT ONCE [as] to the whereabouts of J. H. Carroll. This is [illegible] to him. Address P, box 141, TIMES [OFFICE].

[PERSON]AL—WANT THE ADDRESS OF MRS. G. [illegible], formerly in the Union Oil Bldg. [Address] P, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

[PERSON]AL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALM[ist] and psychic, readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH [illegible] Griffith ave. car.

[PERSON]AL — MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. [illegible] readings in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

[PERSON]AL— [For q]uick action, drop answers to Times "[Liners"] in Times letter boxes in downtown [office] buildings. The locations of the boxes [are] printed in the first column of The [Times] "Liner" section.

[BUSI]NESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

[illegible] ROOFING AND WATERPROOFED [illegible] from $1 per roll up; free city delivery; any [illegible]. WEAVER ROOF CO., Mfrs., 339 E. Sec[ond] Broadway 784, Home F2855.

[F]LORISTS AND NURSERIES—

[illegible] FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS [illegible]. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 N. [illegible]. Boyle 1662.

[W]ANTED— Help, Male.

[Spac]e is not given under this heading to adver[tisements] soliciting business patronage.

[WANTED] — TWO AI VACUUM CLEANER SALES[men; g]ood men used to big profits; best machine [on the] market. C. F. ADAMS CO., 906 E. Seventh.

[WANTED]—YOUNG MAN, ELEVATOR OPERATOR; [must be] neat-appearing and gentlemanly; refer[ences r]equired. Address RR, box 373, TIMES [OFFICE].

WANTED— Help, Male.

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WANTED — SOLICITING TELLERS—ENERGETIC, intelligent men with successful record in life insurance, stock and bonds and similar lines, to secure savings accounts for long established savings bank under popular new savings plan. Men earn up to $7 daily. Apply mornings before 11 a.m. to J. K. INGALLS, Publicity Department, CALIFORNIA SAVINGS BANK, Fourth and Spring sts.

WANTED—LIVE, CLEAN-CUT MAN WITH ABILITY TO SHOW REAL ESTATE. WE HAVE THE CLIENTS WAITING, ALSO THE PROPERTY TO SELL. WE DESIRE A MAN WITH AUTOMOBILE FOR WHICH WE WILL MAKE MONTHLY ALLOWANCE, OR IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A MACHINE WE WILL MAKE MONTHLY ALLOWANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF HIRING. SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR EXPERIENCED EXCURSION MEN. THIS IS CERTAINLY A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR A MAN WHO DESIRES TO MAKE GOOD. SEE MR. REYNOLDS AT ONCE. ROBERT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. 10175; MAIN 5045.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE OF automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense, on contract work. Actual contract work, not school toys. Only few months required. THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL, 234 Aliso st. See ad., "Learn Trades" column.

WANTED—A HIGH-GRADE MEAT CUTTER TO take charge of retail market on or before January 15. Must be of good appearance and a fair mechanic. State age, reference and salary expected. Address P, box 247, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LIVE MAN TO SHOW PROPERTY. PREvious experience unnecessary; can make $100 to $300 per month; good chance for a sober, steady man to become permanently identified with a large company. Call at once. 200-207 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., corner Spring and Fourth.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD-paying trade, automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. See our adv. under "Learn Trade." NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh.

WANTED—WE OFFER RELIABLE STUDENTS COMplete stenographic course; pay tuition after graduated and earning. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 906 Main st. See "Instruction" ad.

WANTED—BE INDEPENDENT! LEARN THE BARber trade; reasonable terms; best place; highest wages while learning. THE NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 120 E. Second st.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS SALES SUPERINTENDent; must be capable of producing personal results; choicest property at Pasadena; liberal remuneration. Apply 41 S. RAYMOND, Pasadena.

WANTED—GENTLEMEN TO HANDLE ONE OF THE best automobile accessories ever brought to the Pacific Coast; agents in the East making from $15 to $25 a day. ROOM 548 WILCOX BLDG.

WANTED—MEN TO JOIN OUR CLASS IN AUTOmobile driving and repairing; 30-day course, $10. (See Instruction Course.) STANFORD AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL, 2709 Stanford ave.

WANTED — A BUTLER, EXPERIENCED ONLY. State years in service, age, nationality, references; also telephone number if any. Address B, box 540, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—50 GOOD BOYS, WITH OR WITHOUT wheels. Apply MR. BAGLEY, 126 E. Third st., 9:30 a.m., Monday.

WANTED—A STRONG, NEAT, POLITE YOUNG MAN at once. Call 8 a.m. at PICO CANDY CO., 1524 W. Pico.

WANTED—MILLWRIGHT FOR SMELTER IN ARIzona, $4.25 day. MURRAY & READY, 110 E. Second st.

WANTED—AT ONCE, A YOUNG MAN TO ANSWER switchboard and do light office work, in family hotel. Apply at once, 743 BEACON ST.

WANTED—SPECIALTY SALESMAN, SALARY AND commission. Apply 217 W. 4TH ST.

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE, good wages while learning. 803 E. FIFTH ST.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—AMBITIOUS MAN, INVESTING $250 IN splendid Antelope Valley, 5 and 10-acre tracts, leveled, fenced and planted to Bartlett pears, only $300 per acre, can secure arrangements for his services as laborer at $2 per day, as well as other inducements, during the time his orchard is growing. Ample water. None of this money pays for picnic lunches and automobile rides for others. GILLETT BUREAU OF SERVICE, 1110 I. N. Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—LADY, NOT NECESSARILY STENOGrapher, office position, salary $75 per month to start, increase to $100; references given and required; established firm; $350 cash investment required. Money secured. Address O, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AN HONEST, SOBER MAN TO HELP manage an old established money making business. No experience necessary. Half of the time outside work. Will pay $140 per month; $250 cash required, fully secured. For particulars, ROOMS 411-412, 129 W. Third st.

WANTED—USE YOUR SPARE TIME TO BUILD UP a mail order business of your own. We help you start for a share in profits. 27 opportunities. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS BAKER WITH SMALL capital; good proposition. Inquire 330 Security Bldg., or write ROY B. HAYES, Box 115, Victorville, Cal.

WANTED—MAN WHO IS NOT AFRAID TO WORK and can invest $500. Call 122 EAST 6TH ST. for appointment.

WANTED— Help, Female.

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WANTED—BIG FOUR EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 206 E. Second. 10 women for general housework, $25 to $35; 6 chambermaids, $30; switchboard operator, linen room women, all kinds of hotel laundry work, tearoom girls, waitresses, arm and tray. Come and register for positions.

WANTED—FIRST TWO MONTHS AT HALF RATE if you enroll now. Book-keeping, Gregg or Pitman shorthand, English branches, telegraphy. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 906 Main st. See Instruction ad.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY culture and hairdressing, free of charge; good opening; LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile Place. Mrs. Harris. See adv. To Learn Trades.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED SALESLADY FOR newly established ladies' tailoring; must have experience. A. GREEN & SON, 745 S. Broadway, fifth floor.

WANTED—TEACHERS, UNMARRIED, UNDER 30, experienced in graded schools, certified in California. FISK TEACHERS' AGENCY, 343 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED—LADIES LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, hair manufacturing, FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile place, corner Broadway. See Learn Trades Adv.

WANTED—WAITRESSES, STEADY WORK; ALSO extra girls for dinner work. Apply at once to HEAD WAITRESS, Hotel Rosslyn, corner Fifth and Main.

WANTED — REFINED YOUNG LADY, 19 OR 20 years of age, for clerk in drug store; must be neat, attractive and capable; good wages paid. LEO MARTIN, 245 N. Alta Vista ave., Monrovia, Cal.

WANTED—A WOMAN FOR PLAIN COOKING, GENeral housework for a ranch, who speaks English and Spanish. Call 1635 NEW JERSEY ST. Boyle 1741.

WANTED—INEXPERIENCED GIRL FOR MARKing and distributing. Apply QUALITY LAUNDRY, 1518 Paloma ave.

WANTED—LADIES TO DO NEEDLEWORK BY piece or dozen. Call from 1 till 4. 123 W. ADAMS, near Main.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST WITH HOUSEwork, part of day. 1700 WEST BLVD. West 2077.

WANTED—NEAT, RELIABLE GIRL, WITH REFERences, for general housework. PHONE 72412.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, German preferred; wages $30. PHONE 52720.

WANTED—GIRLS FOR PENNANT STANDS. INquire 154 S. MAIN.

WANTED—GIRL, BAKERY EXPERIENCE. 2025 W. 7TH ST.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADY, SALARY and commission. Apply 217 W. 4TH ST.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—MAN AND WIFE IN PRIVATE FAMILY; woman to do cooking and general housework; man to milk cow and attend to garden. PHONE 57166.

WANTED—$3 TO $5 A DAY EARNED REPREsenting us in Los Angeles and surrounding towns. 209 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — LEARN AUTO REPAIRING, DRIVING and machine work, day and evening courses; oldest reliable school; overhauling of all makes of cars under supervision of expert instructors; electricity and surveying taught by practical methods; places to work for room and board after school hours, assist graduates to positions. Call and be convinced. Catalogue free. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1905.

WANTED — LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing, students wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place. MRS. HARRIS.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG. LEARN right. "FLORENTINE," World's Largest, 227 Mercantile place.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE of automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense, in few months. THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL, 234 Aliso st.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED — WOMEN, BECOME GOVERNMENT clerks; $70 month; Los Angeles examination schedule free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 737, W. Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHY, BOOK-KEEPING, ENGlish branches, telegraphy, rate $10. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth.

WANTED—GOVERNMENT JOBS, OPEN TO MEN and women, $65 to $150 month. Write immediately for position list. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 13W, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT IN 20 lessons. Write for free book. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176. F5793.

WANTED—MEN TO JOIN OUR CLASS IN AUTOmobile driving and repairing, thirty days, $10. STANFORD AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL, 2700 Stanford ave.

WANTED—SALESMEN— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—STOCK SALESMEN. A NEW CORPOration which will pass the blue sky law inspection is starting a whirlwind campaign for the sale of its capital stock. It should sell easily and make big money for all interested. If you are a real LIVE WIRE write with some particulars to VN, box 152, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TWO GOOD LIVE SOLICITORS FOR HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION WORK; BIG MONEY FOR HUSTLERS. BENNETT, 800 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

WANTED—AN OPENING EXISTS FOR A COUPLE of business-getting salesmen on a high-class realty proposition; large remuneration to right men. Apply at 41 S. RAYMOND, Pasadena.

WANTED—CALENDAR SALESMAN, EXPERIENCed; exclusive line. Apply WOOD & JONES, Pasadena.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

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WANTED—A SUCCESSFUL, PROGRESSIVE AND EFficient superintendent of a children's home (cottage system,) seeks a similar position on the Pacific Coast. A successful business man for fifteen years in New York City, and seven years' experience in present line of work; forty years old and married; character building and industrial training a specialty; very best of references. Will prove ability if given the opportunity. Will be in Los Angeles about March 1. VN, box 150, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A MAN OF 50 TO TAKE CHARGE OF first-class real estate or loaning business; have had over 30 years' experience in managing large concerns; best of references; only substantial salary considered. Address P.O. LOCK BOX 1552.

WANTED — A GOOD, HONEST, SOBER, HARD-working plumber would like to get plumbing in some large building; can give best of references; can run an ice machine and steam feeding and not afraid of work. PHONE HOME 25907.

WANTED—GERMAN WISHES POSITION, COOKING in private family, or on ranch, prefer country; excellent references. Address O, box 286, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, EXPERIENCED CHAUFFEUR, Japanese, careful driver and good mechanic, former employer recommends. Address R, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, EXPERIENCED JAPanese, willing to assist any other work, wages reasonable to start. Address O, box 234, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AM A FIRST-CLASS BOOK-KEEPER, up to date; can use typewriter; local references; moderate salary. Address A, box 452, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED SALESman, speaking English, French and Spanish; first-class references. Address R, box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR KNOWING BUSINESS section wants position to learn districts. Will do all repairs, small wages. Address R, box 176, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG JAPANESE BOY wishes position as schoolboy in small family. Phone F1053. Address JAPANESE CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE, 936 Wall st.

WANTED — RELIABLE COLORED MAN WISHES work as janitor or apartment-house porter. Phone ZINK, Broadway 1536.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 22, WANTS WORK, experience in electricity. Address P, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE, NICE BOY, WRITE me your address, will call at once. WILLIAM S., Japanese Union Church, 139 Mary st., Pasadena.

WANTED — JAPANESE BOY OF GOOD HABITS wishes a position as school boy. Phone after 7 p.m., HOME PHONE 57512.

WANTED—A COLORED MAN WISHES POSITION as porter barber shop or saloon; can furnish good references. SOUTH 1641.

WANTED—GARDENER, EXPERIENCED FOR MANY years in any line of gardening, wishes position. Address R, box 263, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A CHINESE BOY TO work with a private family. Address R, box 264, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED JAPAnese washer and ironer; willing to do other work. Home 20690. FUJIWARA.

WANTED — ELECTRICIAN WORK ANYWHERE; telephone or electrical; have own tools; personal references. PHONE HOME D1627; BOYLE 1100.

WANTED—JAPANESE, NICE BOY, WANTS A POsition as waiter and house work. PHONE F8868.

WANTED—JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, DEsires situation, excellent references. 413 W. SEVENTH. 64233, Main 8048.

WANTED—BY AMERICAN, 42, POSITION, PRIvate place or fruit ranch, good mechanic. PHONE EAST 210.

WANTED — JAPANESE WANTS POSITION AS schoolboy or few hours work at evening. Call 6 to 7 p.m. COLORADO 5018, Pasadena.

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG MAN WANTS POSItion as schoolboy. Phone MAIN 3176. F4223.

EMPLOYMENT— Agencies.

WANTED—SITUATIONS, ALL COLORED. IF YOU want well experienced and efficient help, guaranteed the best that can be secured, ring up J. W. COLEMAN, the old reliable employment agency, 211 E. Second. Broadway 2106, Home A2879.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC JAPANESE AAA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 445 S. Olive st., Los Angeles. F1078, Main 1714.

WANTED— Situations, Female.

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WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL, A STUDENT, DEsires employment in small private family, school hours from 9 to 12; wages $3 per week. 52265; MAIN 2025.

WANTED—POSITION AS MANAGER OR ASSISTANT manager of hotel or apartment-house, by lady of experience and best references. Address C, box 343, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE A FIRST-CLASS STENographer and book-keeper, can take full charge. References. Salary moderate. Address A, box 453, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COLORED LAUNDRESS desires day work. In need. Phone BROADWAY 4296 from 5 to 7 a.m., 5 to 7 p.m.

WANTED—BY COMPETENT DRESSMAKER SEWing in families. Call DRESSMAKER, phone 557529.

WANTED—POSITION BY REFINED AMERICAN lady, aged 33; excellent housekeeper; good cook. EAST 210.

WANTED—RELIABLE, PRACTICAL NURSE WISHES engagements, city; references; reasonable wages. PHONE WEST 538.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED JAPANESE GIRL WANTS a position as a second maid. 920 W. 10TH ST. Phones: Home 52700, Bdwy. 3638.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS GERMAN COOK WANTS position in private home. Sunset phone BROADWAY 2423.

WANTED—HUNGARIAN COOK WISHES POSITION in restaurant or cafeteria. Sunset phone BROADWAY 2423.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS WANTS WORK to bring home or work by the day. BROADWAY 8895.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY OF CULTURE WILL read to invalid or care for children efficiently, 35c a nhour. PHONE 57465.

WANTED—WILL CARE FOR CHILDREN AFTERnoons or evenings. Phone WEST 3853.

WANTED—GIRL, 16, WISHES POSITION AS NURSE girl. EAST 210.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WANTS POSITION, $8. For quick service call MAIN 4796; F8193.

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED — POSITION, JAPANESE MAN AND young wife as general housekeeper and cooking in private family, or wife be housekeeper and man be gardener. Any wages acceptable. Write to T. MURANAGA, R. F. D. No. 1, box 99, Gardena, Cal.

WANTED—POSITION ON SMALL RANCH, THORough, competent, sober young man with wife, within radius of 200 miles from Los Angeles preferred; best of references furnished. Address R, box 31, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— Work by the Day.

WANTED — A GOOD, COLORED GIRL WANTS day's work to go out, or bring work home. BROADWAY 8295.

WANTED—DAY WORK BY STRONG WHITE WOMan, two years' experience, city. Phone Main 1872. MRS. BRABAW.

WANTED—GERMAN WOMAN WANTS WORK BY day or half day, washing or house cleaning, $1.60 and car fare. Phone SOUTH 4418.

WANTED—SMALL WASHING TO TAKE HOME BY good laundress; work neatly done. PHONE 52134.

WANTED— Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WM. FORD, PAPER HANGING OF ALL KINDS, ingrains, lincustas, oatmeal, embossed and friese, my specialty. Rooms papered $3 and up. Also painting of all kinds, staining, etc., kalsomining, tinting, frescoing, etc. Signs of every kind, size and description. Gold, silver, bronze aluminum and oil colors. All work guaranteed. Prices to suit the times. 422 CENTRAL AVE. Phone Main 1536.

WANTED—WALL PAPER FURNISHED AND HUNG, $2.50 per room; painting, tinting and patch plastering. We know the business. Call us for samples. 25355, SOUTH 2882.

WANTED — PLUMBING, EUREKA LIGHT AND PLUMBING CO. wants your work by day or contract; estimates given; prices reasonable. 613½ W. SIXTH ST. F5570.

WANTED — PAPER HANGER DOES PAINTING, tinting; man who knows his business wishes work. MAIN 6483, 52090.

WANTED—PAINTING, PAPERING, TINTING, REpair work a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. PHONE 71953, WEST 4113.

WANTED—TINTING, PAINTING DONE BY FATHER and son, by day or contract, reasonable. MAIN 9098.

WANTED — PAINTING, ENAMELING, TINTING, $1.50 room up. Best Los Angeles references. Work guaranteed. A5980. BROADWAY 2424.

WANTED—ROOMS TINTED, $1.00 UP; FIGURES on painting and paperhanging cheerfully given. PHONE 28228.

WANTED—ROOM PAPERED, $2; UP; WILL BRING samples; also painting and tinting, reasonable. 339 S. BUNKER HILL. Broadway 5778.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGING, first class work; prices reasonable. PAUL GOODWIN, 420 W. Eighth. Main 969, F1186.

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER TO TAKE FULL MANAGEment and control of one of the best bowling alley and billiard-room propositions ever offered in Los Angeles; can secure excellent location at low rental. See MR. BARTLETT or MR. HILL, The Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co., 331 E. Third st.

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED — HAVE CLIENT WHO WANTS TO RENT an improved ranch of 100 or 200 acres; must be fully equipped with all necessary implements and work stock, Tulare, San Joaquin, or might consider Sacramento way; party comes very highly recommended and is an A1 rancher. OLSEN, 224 San Fernando Bldg.

WANTED—TO RENT—FURNISHED FLAT WITH three bedrooms and sleeping porch, in Westlake district. Must be first-class, permanent tenant. Address HP, box 310, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED — FURNISHED APARTMENT IN EXchange for plumbing and repair work. PHONE F5570.

WANTED—FURNISHED, ONE OR TWO ROOMS, with kitchenette and bath and large garage. PHONE 74427 or WEST 3146.

WANTED—ROOM BY YOUNG GERMAN IN REfined Spanish or Mexican family. Close to car line. WILL E. HOLTZ, 525 W. F, San Diego, Cal.

WANTED— Rooms and Board.

WANTED—IN CITY FOR LADY SEMI-INVALID. 2519 W. PICO. West 1905.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE PROPERTY OF ANY description for sale or exchange, list it with me for results.
H. A. ECKERT, with R. C. POLLARD,
A3475. 621 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 2673.

WANTED—PARTIES HAVING PROPERTY OF ANY description for sale or exchange, list it with me for quick results.
HERMAN BAHLS,
F4798. 728 Merchants' Nat. Bank Bldg.

WANTED—6000 TO 10,000 ACRES GOOD ORANGE land. Must have water, good transportation and very easy terms. Address B, box 563, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CASH FOR LONG BEACH LOT. GIVE price and street location, or no attention. BOX 56, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, Long Beach.

WANTED—I AM A BUILDER. IF YOUR LOT IS clear I can build for you and take back mortgage for payment. Write, giving full particulars. Address A, box 466, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR EXchange. Can sell or match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 814 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—
DIAMONDS.
Sell your diamonds to me. I will pay you the most money for them, and hand you the gold coin at once. No checks. No delay. Shall I call on you? Phone A3885. J. C. OLIVER, Suite 430 Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED — DIAMONDS. SELL YOUR DIAMONDS where you can get the most money for them. I pay spot cash for diamonds and jewelry. Private rooms. FERGUSSON, suite 204, Homer Laughlin Bldg. F3516.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A MEMBERSHIP IN the Los Angeles Athletic Club. Quote price o rno attention will be paid. Address B, box 594, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TOP PRICES PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S, ladies' used clothing, by COHEN, Pacific Coast's largest dealers. We call. F2889, Main 4024. 803 S. Spring. 111 E. Seventh.

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL FOR CASH, OLD-fashioned jewelry, silverware, laces, antiques, also old gold. 614 W. SIXTH, near grand.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, ANTIQUES, bought for cash. H. B. CROUCH & CO., 758 S. Hill st.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH. PHONES F3250, Main 3859. DAWSON'S BOOK SHOP, 518 S. Hill.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE USED EVENING AND afternoon gowns, etc. MRS. SCHLANK, 1570 Sunset Blvd. 556730, Wilshire 5087.

WANTED—DIAMONDS BOUGHT AND PAY MORE. DIAMOND loans made also, 1 to 2 per cent. KUSEL, 307 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring.

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL FOR CASH, OLD-fashioned jewelry, silverware, laces, antiques, also old gold. 614 W. SIXTH, near Grand.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, SILVER, bought for cash. THE CRAFT SHOP, rooms 320-321, O. T. Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

WANTED—TO BUY DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, STERling silverware, automobiles; money to loan on above goods. MARKWELL & CO., 300 Grant Bldg.

WANTED — MEN'S AND LADIES' SECOND-HAND clothing. Highest prices paid by us. MAIN 8777.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD; HIGHEST cash price. SCHEPP'S ART SHOP, 710 S. Hill.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER BEDS. 758 SAN PEDRO ST. Main 1166.

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WANTED—
DON'T WAIT
until the last minute to telephone your "Want Ad" to THE TIMES, but get it in early.

WANTED—
For quick action, drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

WANTED— Discarded Clothes.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR CAST-OFF CLOTHING. Call C. H. EDELMAN, Home A3970, Sunset Broadway 4685, or drop a postal, 558 Maple ave.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING. THE CROWN, F5109, Main 5015. We call for clothing. Best prices paid.

WANTED— Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY CASH FOR ALL KINDS OF furniture, merchandise, etc., any quantity. We also sell on commission and advance cash on consignments; a trial will convince you. We have the largest, best-equipped and oldest auction house in the State. REED & HAMMOND, Auctioneers, 1053-1055 S. Main st., at 11th. Phones: Broadway 2860, Home F3545.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE THE FURNITURE OF a private residence for cash, in all suburban towns, Pasadena, Oneonta, Sierra Vista, Los Angeles, from 8 to 14 rooms, in the high grade; must have goods within ten days from date. No dealers need apply. Address XB, box 461, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNIture, rugs, stoves, etc. We pay highest cash prices. H. ARNOLD FURNITURE CO., 148 E. Seventh st. F5624. Main 2582.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, FOR CASH, GOOD FURniture, three or more rooms. 23447; WEST 1394.

WANTED—FURNITURE TO SELL. PHONE MRS. E. MARK, 26332.

WANTED—PARTY DESIRES TO PURCHASE 5 OR more rooms of furniture. PHONE 22288.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM FOR 1 OR 2 GENtlemen, walking distance; every convenience of a private home. 1207 W. NINTH ST.

TO LET—BRICK STORES, UNFURNISHED FLATS and bungalow, Hill, Pico, Flower and Normandie, near Normal School, by owner. MAIN 204, A4778.

TO LET—SUNNY, PLEASANT THOROUGHLY CLEAN furnished rooms, walking distance. 1311 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

TO LET—SUNNY FURNISHED ROOMS, HOUSEkeeping, gas range, $14, including gas, electricity, bath; adults. 829 W. 17TH ST.

TO LET—ONE LARGE ROOM WITH KITCHENette, furnished for housekeeping. Adults. 1627 BURLINGTON AVE.

TO LET—MODERN, STEAM-HEATED, $3.50 UP; private bath, $4.50 up. HOTEL VAL DEMAR, 606 S. Hope. F4296, Main 2062.

TO LET—NEW HOTEL BROADWAY, 205 N. Broadway. Finest room, best location, $3.50 week and up.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—
HOTEL EMS.
321 S. OLIVE.
Choice outside rooms, $12 to $20 monthly; weekly if desired; fine lobby and amusement hall; every convenience; a nice home in center of town; 2 blocks from everywhere.

TO LET—IN MY LOVELY PRIVATE RESIDENCE, ten minutes' walk from city, three beautifully furnished rooms, large and sunny, hot and cold water, also suite bedrooms, bath and sitting-room, private entrance. Best service. Breakfast if desired. Business men only. References required. 1204 ORANGE ST.

TO LET—
HOTEL ST. MARKS,
100 S. OLIVE.
Choice outside rooms, $10 to $20 monthly; weekly if desired; every convenience; two blocks to Broadway.

TO LET—HOTEL STANLEY,
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$250 BUYS FULLY EQUIPPED LUNCH COUNTER, lease, cheap rent. Inquire 1834 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—CIGAR STAND, WILL SELL AT A sacrifice. Call on owner, 110 S. SPRING.

SECOND-HAND CLOTHING STORE MUST BE SOLD on account of sickness. 413 E. FIFTH ST.

SECOND-HAND SHOWCASES, ONE ENTIRE FLOOR of bargains. See WEBER'S, 316-322 S. Los Angeles.

FOR QUICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The location of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Wanted and Miscellaneous.

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SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—1912 TWIN CYLINDER INDIAN motorcycle for furniture, merchandise or cheap for cash. 822 SOUTH MAIN.

FOR EXCHANGE—HORSE AND WAGON FOR GROcery fixtures. PHONE Boyle 2841.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

TO LOAN—
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.
We make quick second mortgage loans of $50 to $1000; money within 24 hours, one month to one year; no brokerage or title fees; loaning our own funds; you receive the full amount in cash without any deduction whatsoever.
FIRST MORTGAGE MONEY.
We make first mortgage loans of $500 to $5000 on improved residence property; will inspect property promptly. No charge for appraisal.
WATERMAN & CO.,
904 Merchants National Bank Bldg.
Corner Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN—
IN AMOUNTS UP TO $15,000.
PREFER LOANS ON COUNTRY PROPERTY, BUT WILL CONSIDER CITY LOANS. PRINCIPALS ONLY.
L. G. BRAUN,
506 SECURITY BLDG.
PHONE F1261.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.
Lots, residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches.
IN SUMS OF $50 TO $100,000.
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent., and up.
Advice free. Appraisement free.
No delays, no red tape. Any sum desired.
Large and small city loans a specialty.
Bond issues for erecting big buildings sold.
Street bonds purchased.
CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE COMPANY,
310 Douglas Bldg. Phone Main 783.

IF YOUR LOT IS CLEAR OR NEARLY SO
We loan full cost of home, make sketches and estimates, build to your order. 20 years' experience. We use the best.
Plastone bath floors and drainboards—
Plumbing goods from H. R. Boynton Co.—
Sash and doors from Frank Graves Co.—
Humphrey gas water heaters, etc., etc.
WESTON BUILDING CO., Estab. 24 years.
607 Laukershim Bldg., 126 W. Third st.

TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON CITY OR COUNTRY.
Conservative advice from long experience.
Member Los Angeles Realty Board.
Reference, First National Bank.
F. A. PATTEE,
607 Story Bldg. Main 1980—F6748.

QUICK SHORT-TIME LOANS ON REAL ESTATE, $50 to $1000, 1 to 12 months, first or second mortgage; no commission or title fees; money same day. Also loan on or buy mortgages, trust deeds and contracts. SECCOMBE, 729 Title Insurance Bldg., corner 5th and Spring. Main 3616, F5589.

$150,000 TO LOAN—
At lowest rates, city or close-in acreage; improved or unimproved; any amount from $2500 up.
FRANKLIN HARPER,
1002 Merchants National Bank Bldg.
A1904 or Main 287. Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT OR improved, building loans a specialty, current rates.
CHANDLER, CASSOU & CO.,
F3121. 503-4-5 Bradbury Bldg. Main 2715.

BRING ME GOOD APPLICATIONS, $1200, $1500 and $2000 to loan at once, no delay, 7 or 8 per cent.; prefer west side improved; owners only. See WEBSTER, L. H. Mitchel & Sons, 307 Title Ins. Bldg. A1986; Main 5253.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE, LISTED stocks, bonds and on personal security; notes and commercial paper bought. TRADERS' EXCHANGE, 231 Bryson Bldg. Bdwy. 5199. A5602.

MONEY TO LOAN—I HAVE MONEY NOW READY to loan on city real estate in amounts to suit you, from $500 to $10,000. M. E. HANLEN, 325 Story Bldg. F2705.

$20,000 FOR IMMEDIATE INVESTMENT IN THE Imperial or San Joaquin Valley.
ESTES & ARNOLD,
Main 4905. 1101 Trust and Savings Bldg. A3405.

MONEY TO LOAN ON APPROVED REAL ESTATE. Stocks and bonds, at current rates.
McCONNELL & IRVINE,
Established 1886. 311-12 Douglas Bldg.

PRIVATE MONEY—LARGE OR SMALL AMOUNTS, first or second mortgages. MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CO., 928 Van Nuys Bldg. 63299.

TO LOAN—$500 TO $30,000, CITY OR COUNTRY.
S. R. EARNEST & CO.,
831 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A4757, Main 5555.

PLENTY OF PRIVATE MONEY—7-8 PER CENT.
F. H. EVARTS,
A4059, Main 4069. 802 Van Nuys Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN — REPRESENT PRIVATE PARties. IRVING L. MAYER.
F1165, Broadway 3564. 223 Story Bldg.

$200 TO $3000 TO LOAN DIRECT TO OWNERS, on good city or country property. ROBERT CAMPBELL, 641 Chamber Commerce Bldg. A3026.

WILL BUY YOUR TRUST DEEDS OR CONTRACTS. MR. ALLEN, 510 Trust & Savings Bldg. Phone A4498. Main 8768.

FARNSWORTH BROS. MAKE LOANS ON REAL estate, building loans a specialty. 1026 VAN NUYS BLDG. F1209, Main 4096.

PRIVATE MONEY, LOWEST RATES, CITY OR country, and building loans. LOCKHART & SON, 731 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2776. Main 5578.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS, MONEY waiting. ERNEST E. FAIR CO., 421 Grant Bldg. F0296.

I LOAN $100 TO $2000 ON FIRST MORTGAGES from $100 to $500 on seconds. No delay. DE LA PENA, 219 Union Oil Bldg.

MONEY LOANED—CONTRACTS AND MORTGAGES bought. A. McCALL, 314 Bullard Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries and Chattels.

PRIVATE LOANS PRIVATE
QUICKLY MADE, IF YOU ARE KEEPING HOUSE, SEE US.
GERMAN-AMERICAN LOAN CO.
ROOMS 701-702 DELTA BLDG.
MAIN 6287. 426 S. SPRING ST. F2153.

LOANS—LOANS—LOANS—
BEST RATES AND EASIEST TERMS.
FIDELITY LOAN CO.,
229 W. Fourth st., corner Fourth and Broadway.
Phones: Home F3421. Bdwy. 5171.

DIAMOND LOANS, 1 TO 2 PER CENT. KUSEL, 306-7 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring. Established 12 years. Bank references. Diamonds kept bank vault. WE BUY DIAMONDS ALSO.

LOAN ON DIAMONDS, CONFIDENTIAL, BANK REFerence. FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries and Chattels.

IF YOU WANT A RELIABLE PLACE TO BORROW money in small amounts you will make no mistake by coming to us. Easy weekly or monthly payments. Let us tell you more about it at our office.
CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY,
500 Security Bldg. 510 S. Spring st.
Phones: F6512, Main 4018.

MONEY TO LOAN—HAVE $100-$500 TO LOAN ON automobiles; quick action. 817 VAN NUYS BLDG.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY—
2 per cent. commission to agents.
8 per cent.—$3250 to $3500—3 years.
On improved property,
right near Seventh and Kohler.
Valued at $8000.
Full particulars from
MR. BEST,
4th floor, 631 S. Spring street.
Home 60478. Main 2875.

WANTED—
$100,000.00
$100,000.00
A first mortgage loan of $100,000 is desired on 200 acres of property within the original city limits of Los Angeles, all subdivided into about 1000 residence lots. Good street railway service, twenty minutes to center of city. $200,000 of street improvements already in. Conservative value of property $500,000. Agents take notice.
CHARLES P. BROWN,
204 Higgins Bldg.
Phones: Main 3290—A3275.

WANTED—$40,000, 7 PER CENT., 5 YEARS, SECURITY BRICK BUILDING, WORTH $100,000. $15,000—7 PER CENT., ON BRICK BUSINESS BLOCK, WORTH $35,000. $7500—ON FIRST MORTGAGE, ON PROPERTY WORTH $30,000. $1000—ON CORNER LOT, WESTLAKE DISTRICT, WORTH $2500, 8 PER CENT.
A. T. JERGINS & COMPANY,
MAIN 494. 400 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. A1841.

WANTED—TO BORROW $12,000 ON FOUR 5-acre full bearing walnut groves, interset with Valencias. In best district of Placentia. Owner of next place refused $3000 per acre. Address E. A., box 437, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$4500, THREE YEARS AT 8 PER cent., on 16-room flat, building opposite Manual Arts High School; on 41st Drive. Value $10,000. Will pay 3 per cent. commission if I can secure loan this week. HANCOCK, 317 Central Bldg. F7516, Main 7526.

WANTED—TO BORROW $1250 ON FINE LARGE residence on two lots in highly improved district. Valued $12,000. Will give trust deed subject to $4000 first mortgage. Pay 8 per cent. and give $250 bonus. Address E. A., box 451, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$2000 AT 8 PER CENT., ON OWNer's home in close-in southwest, cost price of lot and house, $4700; built few months; six-room bungalow and garage, 50-ft. lot. A1986. 308 TITLE INS. BLDG.

WANTED—$10,000, 90 DAYS, BY A HIGH-CLASS promoter for A1 proposition; will secure the loan with first mortgage on $25,000 property and give a guarantee to pay a bonus of $10,000 in 90 days. Address R, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LOAN OF $1650 ON PROPERTY ON Arden ave., in Glendale, value $4000, three years, 8 per cent. See E. B. VAN HORNE, 707 Union Oil Bldg.

WANTED—$800 OR $1000 ON SECOND MORTGAGE 8 per cent. on 20,000 business property, Venice, first mortgage $5000. By owner. Address box 273, VENICE.

WANTED—STREET BONDS OR FIRST MORTGAGES to about $20,000; will pay cash and elegant residence lot in best district of Hollywood. Apply OWNER, O, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$5000 ON FINE COUNTRY PROPERTY near Pasadena; security is first-class, about 25 per cent. of valuation. Address NP, box 465, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$2750 AT 7 PER CENT., RENEWAL of Security bank loan of same amount, place near Normandie and 25th st.; want at once. Call A1986. 300 TITLE INS. BLDG.

WANTED — $500, 10 PER CENT., ON ACRE AT Alhambra, set to 10-year-old walnuts, just paid $1500 spot cash for it. Main 5253. 307 TITLE INS. BLDG.

WANTED—$2750 ON NEW MODERN 7-ROOM BUNgalow in North Wilshire section; will pay 2 per cent. commission. IRA A. MARSHALL, 631 Union Oil. F2673, Main 4794.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $800. WILL GIVE FIRST mortgage on business lot with some improvements worth $3500. Address R, box 235, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE FARM MORTGAGE, $5500; GILT-edged security. 639 MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK BLDG. Phone Home F5452, Main 1472.

WANTED—HAVE $3000 LAND MORTGAGE; WILL give liberal discount. Phone Home F5452, Main 1472. 639 MERCHANTS NAT'L BANK BLDG.

WANTED—$2000 ON 7-ROOM BUNGALOW AT 7 per cent., for two or three years. 2238 WEST 31ST ST. 72454.

WANTED—$1500 ON INCOME SUBURBAN PROPerty. Trolley passes door. Value $18,000. M. JOHNSON, 419 Van Nuys Bldg. 52661.

WANTED—$1500 THREE YEARS, 7 PER CENT. A-1 loan on $4500 bungalow. Phone evenings, VERMONT 4234.

WANTED—MONEY—ON ANAHEIM PROPERTY TO build; from private parties; no agents. Address P, box 95, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$1800 FIRST MORTGAGE ON NEW 6-room bungalow. E. T. McLAUGHLIN, Vermont 1253.

WANTED—LOAN $2500 ON IMPROVED INCOME property at 7 per cent. (bank valuation) $12,000. P.O. BOX 1753.

STOCKS AND BONDS—
Mortgages.

WANTED—JEROME VERDE COPPER, BRANT INdependent, Pioneer Consolidated, Afterthought Copper. Name lowest price and amount. BOX 75, Little Rock, Ark.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING-picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and made good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

FOR SALE—USED WINDMILLS, TANKS, PUMPS, ranch tools.
Engines. Engines.
Our prices absolutely cheapest, good serviceable material can be produced for. We are pioneers in our line. Windmills, tanks, engines our specialty. Office, DEMMITT COMPANY, 120 N. Main. 15191. Broadway 1984.

FOR SALE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in The Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads." etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND CAROM and pocket-billiard tables; bowling alleys and accessories; bar fixtures of all kinds; easy payments. We trust the people. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 331-333 E. Third st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—SWELL SET OF WHITE FOX, STOLE and muff; also lynx, never worn; lady must sell; will accept $15. Call 1400 CONSTANCE. Phone West 5595.

FOR SALE—OR RENT, LARGEST ASSORTMENT invalid wheel chairs, physicians' hospital and nurses' supplies. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., 415 West 5th.

FOR SALE — TENTS THAT ARE TENTS. WE make them all weights; have some slightly used. WISE & DOWNIE, 506 E. Seventh st. Phone Broadway 2169.

FOR SALE — "SCOTT'S" ASPHALTUM ROOF Paints, 50c gallon; 5 gallons, $2. SCOTT, THE ROOFER, 1702 S. Main st. South 377, Home 23898.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, EXTENSION LADDER, PLANK, drop cloths, paper board, stain, oil, floor brush, paint brushes and sewing machine. 1523 Golden Gate ave. WILSHIRE 2037.

FOR SALE — STABLE MANURE, RETAIL OR wholesale, shipped to all parts, cheap. Address P, box 52, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND MOSLER OFFICE SAFE, $50; Cabinet safe, $65. ANDERSON, 394 S. Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND SAFE, MECHANISM IN perfect condition; will sell cheap. 848 S. HILL STREET.

FOR SALE — FIRE-PROOF AND BURGLAR-PROOF safes, large stock; safes for exchange. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAINS, LARGest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE & FIXTURE CO., 316-22 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP FUEL, APRICOT PIT SHELLS; clean and hot, $1.50 ton, delivered. WILSHIRE 1078.

FOR SALE—OR RENT; SECOND-HAND CONCRETE mixers. 408 E. THIRD ST. Bdwy. 3954, A3594.

FOR SALE—NEW AND SECOND-HAND TENTS AT SCOTTY'S PLACE, 135 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—WHEELBARROWS AT COST. 408 E. THIRD ST. Bdwy. 3954, A3594.

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BILLIARD TABLES—
And Supplies.

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FOR SALE — BILLARD AND POCKET TABLES, saloon fixtures and supplies. Not affiliated with the trust. J. VAN DYCK, 3247 E. Third st. Phone Boyle 2508.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—BASKET GRATES, GAS LOGS, GAS grates, andirons and wood mantels, from J. W. Frey stock, best goods made; closing out, half price. 1610 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—LEAVING, CONTENTS ELEGANT 10-room house, furniture new, magnificent colonial Circassian walnut set, leather rocker, davenport, brass bed, fumed oak dining set, rugs, porch furniture, sewing machine, Kohler-Chase player piano, refrigerator, everything for home, selling by piece; big sacrifice. 1409 CONSTANCE ST. Pico Heights car. Phone West 5595.

FOR SALE—AUCTION, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 10 a.m., 1386 E. 23rd st., extra nice 5 rooms furniture, beds, rugs, dressers, chairs, rockers, tables, books, mandolin, parlor set, center tables, gas range, silver, dishes, other articles. R. N. KEMP, auctioneers.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE FURNITURE FOR 6 ROOMS, value $400. Will take $150 cash. OWNER, 305 Union Oil Bldg. A3540.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 6 ROOMS. 1338½ PALM, near Grand and Pico.

FOR SALE—8 ROOMS OF FURNITURE, CHEAP. House for rent. 754 HEMLOCK ST.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—
"WEBERS."
Largest stock of modern office furniture in the wholesale district, save money with us. The kind of desks, chairs and tables you want at the price you want to pay. 316-322 S. LOS ANGELES ST. Main 9184, A2868.

FOR SALE—OFFICE DESKS, CHAIRS, TABLES, all standard guaranteed line, at rock-bottom prices. The Los Angeles-street desk house.
WEBER'S,
316-322 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED—OFFICE FURNITURE, HIGHEST PRICES offered; office furniture sold, repaired and packed. SPELLMAN DESK CO., 720 S. Spring. Broadway 7783.

WANTED—THE DESK EXCHANGE.
We buy, sell and rent desks at the lowest possible prices. Full line of filing cabinets, sectional bookcases. 314 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—GOING OUT OF BUSINESS, THE DESK Exchange, large assortment of desks, chairs, tables, filing cabinets and sectional bookcases. They must go. 314 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—TO BUY 6-FOOT FLAT OFFICE DESK, 6-foot book-keeper's desk, office chairs, etc. Phone M. E. HILLIS, 55439 or Main 8200 or 10391.

FOR SALE—REAL DESK BARGAINS, NEW AND used; closing out $50,000 stock. BRONSON-CARLISLE DESK CO., 727 S. Spring. Lease for sale.

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.
Automobiles

SEE THESE CARS TODAY.

1913 5-passenger, 6-cylinder Chalmers, overhauled, repainted and guaranteed. You can't afford to miss this bargain at $1025.

1913 5-passenger Reo, in A-1 condition; run less than 5000 miles; electric lights and self-starter.

4-cylinder, 7-passenger, 4-door Peerless. Gray color, seat covers, all good tires, at $500.

7-passenger, 4-cylinder Pierce-Arrow, in excellent condition, at $410.

CHALMERS-LOS ANGELES COMPANY,
1010 S. Hope st.

FOR SALE—
1914 Buick, in perfect condition; has been run only 8 months; oversize Batavia tires all around; 2 extra tires and tubes; Delco lighting and starting system. Selling because have purchased larger car. Price $700. See Manager,
BATAVIA RUBBER CO.,
Cor. Pico and Grand.

LIMOUSINES—
If you are interested in high-grade limousines, call on us; we have two limousines, which have been completely overhauled, and carry our guarantee.
ENGLISH MOTOR CAR CO.,
1132 S. Grand ave.
F2381. Main 1400.

YOU CAN BUY A 1915 MAXWELL 25 FOR $850, delivered in Los Angeles, equipped with Gray & Davis lighting and starting system, electric horn, 3-speed transmission, center control, left-hand drive, streamline body, 103-inch wheel base, mohair top and adjustable windshield.
LORD MOTOR CAR COMPANY,
Eleventh and Hope streets.
Main 5470, 10845.

FOR SALE—$55.
New Kuneo generator and lighting system, for Ford automobiles, any one can assemble.
ENGLISH MOTOR CAR CO.,
1132 S. Grand ave.

WILL TRADE FOR DIAMONDS, CLEAR LOS ANgeles property or first mortgage, a 1913 high-grade, 5-passenger car, with electric equipment; splendid condition throughout; willing to sacrifice; will take small amount cash, balance trade. Phone OWNER, Vermont 4283, for appointment.

WE ARE OFFERING THIS WEEK IN OUR USED-car department, a 7-passenger Packard 30, and a 5-passenger Cadillac. These are bargains.
ENGLISH MOTOR CAR CO.,
F2381. 1132 S. Grand ave. Main 1400.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, BY OWNER, 30-60 STEARNS, 7-passenger touring car. Must sell at once. Will take part cash, rest in monthly payments. No reasonable offer refused. Phone BROADWAY 3297, F4588.

TO ANY ONE CONSIDERING THE NICKEL BUS business we are able to offer a very attractive proposition. Call and investigate this.
ENGLISH MOTOR CAR CO.,
F2381. 1132 S. Grand ave. Main 1400.

JUST OUT—OUR DECEMBER LIST OF USED CARS containing the best bargains in the city. See this list before you purchase a used car. LOCOMOBILE CO. OF AMERICA, Pico and Grand ave. Main 5988, F2875.

STUDEBAKER, ALMOST BRAND NEW, WITH ELECtric starter and lights, cannot be distinguished from one just out of the salesroom. Private party willing to sacrifice about half its original cost. Terms considered. No trades. OWNER, 77136.

CARS WANTED FOR SPOT CASH.
A number of light cars in good order to complete our stock.
WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER?
Call 1039 S. BROADWAY. Phone F3981.

FOR EXCHANGE — DANDY 5-PASSENGER AUTO. Want a good clear lot or sacrifice equity in 5 or 6-room bungalow. A quick deal. Phone MR. CRAMER, Main 3091, A1082.

ONLY GARAGE AND MACHINE SHOP IN FASTest-growing town in Southern California, fully equipped in every detail; a bargain. Call MR. LAWRENCE, Main 5081.

FOR SALE—MITCHELL, LITTLE SIX, PERFECT condition; make offer; must sell. OWNER, 599574.

CADILLAC ROADSTER—A GUARANTEED CAR BY a responsible business man; $450 cash; no dealers. Inquire 1834 S. MAIN ST.

GOOD STUDEBAKER 30, FOR $500 CASH, WORTH $750; have no use for two cars; terms all cash. W. B. BYRN & CO., 928 Van Nuys Bldg.

1½-TON TRUCK FOR SALE CHEAP, FIRST-class condition. Call and make offer. 505½ S. MAIN, room 3.

OAKLAND 5-PASSENGER WITH STARTER, ELECtric lights and in fine shape. Phone and let me describe it fully. 60249; Main 7877.

FOR SALE — GOOD FIVE-TON MOORE TRUCK with dump, $1800; $500 cash, balance easy. Phone 75066, or call 1526 W. 21ST ST.

FOR SALE—4-CYLINDER LIGHT BUICK, WILL consider Stanley Steamer part payment. 58TH AND FIGUEROA. Phone Vermont 1649.

WANTED—AUTO REPAIR AND LATHE WORK, 25c per hour; all work guaranteed; expert foreman. Call 66310.

AUTO TIRES CHEAP! LARGEST ASSORTMENT used and new tires in town! Lowest prices. AUTO TIRE STORE, 711 South L. A. st.

WILL EXCHANGE BUSINESS LOT IN TOWN OF Riverbank for late model runabout. Call week days, F5503.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR CAR BRING IT around, we will advance you money and sell your car. 1798 W. WASHINGTON.

WANTED—FORD OR HUPMOBILE, 1914 OR 1915, for spot cash. Phone BROADWAY 1275.

FOR SALE—BUICK ROADSTER, $400 CASH. MAIN 7601.

AUTOS, PARTS, ENGINES, TIRES, ETC. SOLD, EXchanged. METZ, 921 S. Main. F1958.

WANTED—GOOD 1912 OR 1913 2-CYLINDER MAchine, cheap for cash. TEL. SOUTH 4429.

FOR SALE—STUDEBAKER 20, 4-PASSENGER. APply OWNER, 5879 S. Wall st.

IF YOU WANT TO TURN YOUR AUTO INTO MONEY-making real estate, see BROWN, 424 W. Sixth st.

Electric Automobiles.

USED ELECTRICS BOUGHT SOLD AND EXchanged. ELECTRIC CAR EXCHANGE, West 1944. 72807.

For Hire—Automobiles.

NEW 1915 STUDEBAKER, PRIVATE CAR, CAREful driver. $1.25 per hour. VERMONT 3663 or 26530.

FOR HIRE — ROADSTERS, 5 AND 7-PASSENGER, WITH OR WITHOUT DRIVERS; RATES REASONABLE. MR. BILLE, SOUTH 401, 23391.

1915 CLASSY AUBURN AND MITCHELL CARS, 5 and 7-passenger, $1.25, $1.75 hour. 79450. VERMONT 3037.

$1 PER HOUR. NEW 5-PASSENGER OVERLAND auto; experienced, careful driver for sightseeing and business. O. G. MAXWELL, Phone 54356.

FOR HIRE—ROADSTER, 5 AND 7-PASSENGER autos, with or without drivers, at reasonable rates. Call SCHILLING, 25734. West 3672.

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.
For Hire—Automobiles.

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Wagons and Carts.

GOOD HEAVY FARM WAGON, ... at SCOTTY'S PLACE, 135 S. Los Angeles st. [illegible]

Motorcycles.

[illegible]

FOR SALE—
Agricultural Implements and Vehicles.

FOR SALE—USED RANCH TOOLS, ... pumps, engines.
TANKS—TANKS.
[illegible]

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—
Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.

[illegible]

POULTRY—POULTRY SUPPLIES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

[illegible]

Dogs and Dogs at Sale.

[illegible]

LIVE STOCK WANTED—

[illegible]

LIVE STOCK, EXCHANGE—
What Have You?

FOR EXCHANGE—100 MULES AND ... real estate. PHONE F2046, ...

ATTORNEYS—
Counselors-at-Law.

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BOILERS—
And Boilermakers.

L. A. BOILER WORKS MANUFACTURERS ... ers and tanks. ... 119 REDONDO ST. ...

DRESSMAKING—
And Dressmakers.

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AUCTIONS—
And Auctioneers.

MRS. B. MARK, AUCTIONEER, ... [illegible]

LOST, FOUND, STRAYED
And Stolen.

[illegible]

MACHINERY—
And Mechanical Appliances.

[illegible]

MODELS—
And Model Makers.

MODELS, GEARS, ... CHINE WORKS, 614 S. Main.

MONDAY MORNING.

Classified Liners.

MASSAGE—
And Other Baths.

[illegible]

MANICURING—CHIROPODY—
Facial, Scalp Treatment, Hairdressing.

[illegible]

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—

[illegible]

TYPEWRITERS—
Of Various Makes.

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HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. White, from San Francisco.
Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, from San Diego.
Steamer Columbian, Capt. Blackwell, from New York, via San Diego.
Steamer Daisy Freeman, Capt. Devitt, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Mary Olson, Capt. Anderson, from San Diego.
Steamer Oleum, Capt. Curtiss, from San Diego.

SAILED—SUNDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Congress, Capt. Cousins, for San Diego.
Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, for San Francisco.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

Steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports farther north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Steamship line.
Dec. 28	Portland, Yucatan	North Pacific
Dec. 28	San Diego, Congress	Pacific Coast
Dec. 28	San Francisco, Aroline	Independent
Dec. 28	Portland, Beaver	S. F. and Portland
Dec. 29	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 29	Portland, Beaver	S. F. & Portland
Dec. 29	San Diego, Yucatan	North Pacific
Dec. 29	Puget Sound, President	Pacific Coast
Dec. 30	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Santa Clara	North Pacific
Dec. 31	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
Jan. 1	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Jan. 2	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Jan. 2	Puget Sound, Queen	Pacific Coast
Jan. 2	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & Portland
Jan. 2	San Francisco, Aroline	Independent
Jan. 3	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Jan. 3	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation

TO DEPART.

Date.	To—Steamer.	Steamship line.
Dec. 28	San Diego, Yucatan	North Pacific
Dec. 28	San Francisco, Aroline	Independent
Dec. 29	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 29	Portland, Roanoke	North Pacific
Dec. 29	Portland, Beaver	S. F. & Portland
Dec. 30	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 31	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 31	Puget Sound, President	Pacific Coast
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Jan. 2	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Jan. 2	San Francisco, Aroline	Independent
Jan. 3	San Diego, Queen	Pacific Coast
Jan. 3	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Jan. 3	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & Portland

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer for Catalina Island leaves daily at 10 a.m., returning at 6 p.m. Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every half hour from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Canal street, Wilmington, every half hour.

IN PORT.

French bark Admiral Courbet, outer harbor.
U.S.S. Denver, outer harbor.
Steamer General Hubbard, Hammond Lumber Co.
Steamer Bandon, S. P. Lumber Co.
Steamer Columbian, pier A.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Siskiyou, Bellingham, loading.
Steamer Raymond, Willapa, sailed Dec. 23.
Steamer Coronado, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 24.
Steamer J. B. Stetson, Portland, sailed Dec. 24.
Steamer Northland, Portland, sailed Dec. 24.
Steamer Gray's Harbor, Hoquiam, sailed Dec. 23.
Steamer National City, Mendocino, loading.

TO AND FROM ATLANTIC PORTS.

Steamer Jean, New York, sailed Dec. 2.
Steamer Atlantic, Boston, loading.
Steamer Virginian, New York, loading.
Steamer Georgian, New York, sailed Dec. 15.
Steamer Montanan, New York, sailed Dec. 10.
Steamre Hawaiian, New York, sailed Dec. 19.
Steamer Santa Cecelia, New York, loading.
Steamer Damara, New York, loading.
Steamer Harry Luckenbach, New York, loading.
Steamer Oregonian, Puget Sound, for New York, loading.
Steamer Lyra, Philadelphia, sailed Dec. 21.
Steamer Lewis K. Thurlow, New York, sailed Dec. 22.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Crown of Sevilla, London, sailed Dec. 22.
Swedish motorship Pacific, Copenhagen, loading.
Swedish motorship Suecia, Stockholm, loading.
Danish motorship Pangan, Genoa, loading.
Norwegian steamer Christian Bors, Shanghai, loading.
British steamer Director, Liverpool, sailed Nov. 30.
Mexican steamer Mazatlan, Manzanillo, sailed Nov. 10.
British steamer Benefactor, London, loading.

TIDE TABLE.

Monday,	Dec. 28....	6:20	1:54	8:18	....
		5.8	0.1	3.7	....
Tuesday,	" 29....	12:24	6:59	2:27	8:56
		2.6	6.1	—0.2	3.8
Wednesday,	" 30....	1:12	7:35	3:00	9:50
		2.6	6.3	—0.5	3.9
Thursday,	" 31....	1:48	8:11	3:31	10:02
		2.6	6.5	—0.7	4.7
Friday,	Jan. 1....	2:15	8:45	3:59	10:34
		2.4	6.5	0.6	3.9
Saturday,	" 2....	2:48	9:16	4:29	11:07
		2.4	6.5	0.7	4.0

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning.

PORT ITEMS.

The steamer Columbian arrived today from New York, via San Diego, with balance of cargo for the American-Hawaiian line. A sharp lookout was kept coming up the Mexican coast for the mate and sailors who left the motorship Malakka on the rocks on Cedros Island to row to the telegraph station at San Quintin, and it is believed the boat foundered. The rocks pierced the ship almost to the main deck and 6000 tons of barley and a thousand tons of general cargo may have to be jettisoned to save the ship.

Lumber carriers arriving today were the steamer Daisy Freeman from Gray's Harbor with 800,000 feet and the Mary Olson from San Diego with balance of cargo, loaded on Puget Sound.

The steamer Harvard arrived from San Francisco with a big crowd of passengers today. The Yale arrived from San Diego and proceeded to San Francisco. The Congress proceeded to San Diego and will call tomorrow on the return voyage to Puget Sound.

THE AEROPLANE DARTS.

The French Weapon is One of the Most Deadly of any Used in the Present War.

[Boston Transcript:] As made in France the dart is four and three-fourths inches long and a little over a quarter of an inch in diameter. The manufacture is simple, as the dart is stamped out of a steel rod. The chief feature is the "feathers," which are designed to keep the needle-sharp point always directed downward.

The weight is only twenty grammes, or something less than one ounce, so that a machine of military type, designed for a useful load of 250 kilogrammes (550 pounds) can carry 12,500 arrows. Many of the craft in use in the war zones considerably exceed this capacity, some being able to transport no fewer than 20,000.

It has already been proven that one of these darts, falling on a man from an altitude of not more than 600 feet, will as surely kill or wound him as a rifle bullet. With each increase in the height the velocity increases. Irvin S. Cobb, in the current issue of the Saturday Evening Post, quotes the following, told him by a German shortly after the event:

"That flyer at whom our guns were firing a while ago dropped this," explained the civilian. He pitched out a bomb that must have contained hundreds of these darts; and the bomb was timed to explode a thousand or more feet above the earth and scatter the darts. Some of them fell into a cavalry troop on the road leading to La Fere.

"Hurt anyone? Ach, but yes! Hurt many and killed several—both men and horses. One dart hit a trooper on top of his head. It went through his helmet, through his skull, his brain, his neck, his body, his leg—all the way through him lengthwise it went. It came out of his leg, split open his horse's flank, and struck in the hard road.

"I myself saw the man afterward. He died so quickly that his hand still held his bridle rein after he fell from the saddle; and the horse dragged him—his corpse, rather—many feet before the fingers relaxed."

The Victoria Cross.

[London Chronicle:] The recipient of the Victoria cross is "V. C.," and nobody sees anything strange in that. It is curious to recall the difficulties Queen Victoria felt upon the point when the V. C. was instituted. "The Queen thinks," she wrote to Lord Panmure, "that the persons decorated with the Victoria cross might very properly be allowed to bear some distinctive mark after their name. . . . V. C. would not do. K. G. means a Knight of the Garter, C. B. a Companion of the Bath, M. P. a member of Parliament, M. D. a doctor of medicine, etc., in all cases designating a person. No one could be called a Victoria cross. V. C. moreover means vice-chancellor at present. D. V. C. (decorated with the Victoria cross) or B. V. C. (bearer of the Vivtoria cross) might do. The Queen thinks the last the best."

The Great War

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Arizona.

FLOOD DAMAGE IS NOT GREAT.

Roosevelt Dam Remains in Splendid Condition.

Legislature is Told the State has Enough Laws.

Liquor Men Prepare to Quit Business Thursday.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 26.—Practically no damage has been done to Phoenix or to the Salt River Valley irrigation system by the late storm. The worst reports were of a number of breaks in the banks of the eastern canal, beyond Mesa. Some rock slides were reported along the Roosevelt road, but have been cleared away. Both roads and city streets, outside of the paved district, have become almost impassible and probably will remain in such condition, for local rains are predicted.

The storm center appears to have been along the border, from Nogales to Douglas, the floods being carried away in the San Pedro and Santa Cruz rivers. Along these streams serious damage was done to farms, irrigation works and railroad grades and several lives were lost. Supervisor W. C. Fortune of Santa Cruz county was drowned when his buggy overturned in a flooded arroyo near Patagonia.

It was water from the San Pedro, which in places was a mile wide, that raised the Gila River to flood stage below the junction of the two streams, near Winkleman. Between Winkleman and Florence the Arizona Eastern railroad hugs the banks of the stream, which has done such damage to the roadbed that traffic has had to be stopped at Price, leaving the Ray section for a time without rail communication. Lower lying farms from Florence through to Yuma have been submerged and a number of canal headings and dams have been swept away, as well as the approaches to the concrete State highway bridge near Florence. Francisco Diaz was drowned near Winkleman.

The damage at Tucson was done by the Santa Cruz River, a stream usually described as "running upside down," for it sinks into the plain west of Tucson, its course thereafter marked by a heavy growth of mesquite trees. But there came altogether too much water for the subterranean channels, flooding the plain for miles, including within the great desert lake the tracks of the Southern Pacific and of its Phoenix branch, effectually blocking traffic and further delaying the passage of the Christmas mails. Water even came up into the Maricopa station waiting-room.

HAVE LAWS ENOUGH.

The Phoenix Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, recognizing that in the lately enacted laws passed by popular vote Arizona has about all she can stand, has addressed every elected member of the State Legislature, suggesting that the next legislative term be cut down to not more than thirty days, with inclosure of a resolution reciting that there appears to be need of the greatest economy in order that the resources of every community and of the State be conserved and that there appears to be little need of legislation, except such as pertains to taxation and to the maintenance of the State government.

STATE DRY THURSDAY NIGHT.

The Federal Court decision at Los Angeles upholding the popularly enacted prohibition amendment to the Arizona Constitution has excited little surprise locally, for even the saloon keepers had felt little hope in possible success of their appeal. So the saloon business in Arizona will last till midnight next Thursday. In the meantime there will be made a strong effort, on the part of dealers and consumers alike, to dispose of liquor stocks within Arizona said to be worth not less than $300,000. On the southern border all unsold on the last day will be moved over into Mexico, where a number of Arizona liquor men are to open large amusement resorts at Agua Prieta, Naco and Nogales, Sonora. Farther north every dealer has started a bargain sale and the population generally is stocking the cellars against the time of drought. New Year's Eve is to be a time of unusual celebration by prohibitionists and their antagonists alike. There will be a bowl in every clubroom, with the promise that it will vanish with the stroke of 12, when lemonade will appear in its stead. The next day will be the unluckiest of Fridays for all who have lived through the dispensing of booze, for the Sheriffs in all counties have been warned that recall will await the officer who fails to be diligent in suppression of "bootlegging."

Here the decision of the court was received calmly by every one, save Dr. H. A. Hughes, who was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, against Hunt. The doctor, in joy that could not be dampened by a downpour of rain, hired a brass band and paraded the business section, stopping in front of each saloon to display a banner of strange device, with a beer keg couchant in its center. The doctor escaped without personal injury.

Liquor dealers have figured that the prohibition amendment will cause nearly $1,000,000 loss, if consideration is given the abandonment of the business of two breweries, one each in Prescott and Douglas, with plants that together cost not less than $250,000, and if there be figured in the cost of fixtures of hundreds of elaborately appointed saloons. The income from the license taxes paid by such places, now to be lost by the counties and municipalities, will cause higher property taxes for several years and will necessitate much rearrangement of public budgets already prepared.

CHILDREN SAVE CRIPPLE.

Through a donation of $75, contributed in pennies, nickels and dimes by the school children of Phoenix, a useful life has been made possible to Ramon Sanchez, a 13-year-old Mexican boy, crippled while in infancy. The hospital expense was borne by the children's mites, while an operation for the straightening of the crooked leg was successfully performed without cost by Dr. L. D. Dameron, who is one of the school directors, and Dr. C. B. Palmer, the public school physician.

The navel orange season in the Salt River Valley is over, with the shipment of the last of twenty-five carloads of prime fruit, all consigned to Chicago.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Musical Programme.

At a special evening of music at the Trinity Auditorium yesterday George R. Garner, tenor of the Hann Jubilee Singers of Chicago, entertained with solos and readings. There were also selections by the choir. The auditorium was filled and several hundred persons were turned away.

Essay Contest Awards.

The prize winners, announced yesterday, in the Caesar essay contest as conducted by Clune's Auditorium and the Public Library in connection with the Julius Caesar photo-play, are Barbara Miller, C. H. Bretherton, Joseph Flynn, Mrs. Zoe Hoffman, John C. Malim and Sylvia Ruthstrom.

Into Private Life.

Chief Deputy District Attorney Ford and Deputy District Attorney Hammon, who will go out of office when a new regime begins the first of the year, have sent out announcements that they will practice under the firm name of Ford & Hammon. They will open offices in the H. W. Hellman building next Saturday.

Overseas Club Christmas.

The British Overseas Club will hold its annual Christmas tree social and dance in Burbank Hall this evening. A varied programme of games and entertainment has been arranged, including Scotch pipers and a British rendition of "Tipperary." Over 100 prizes will be given and there will be refreshments.

Poison Dose Fatal.

Taken to the Crocker-street Hospital after having swallowed a large amount of poison, Mrs. Mable Hayt, 28 years of age of No. 944 West Fifty-fourth street, died early last night. Up to a late hour the police were unable to learn why the young woman took her life. An investigation will be made today. The body was not removed from the hospital, but some time today will be taken to an undertaking establishment.

SWISS MILITARY SERVICE.

Country has no Standing Army, but Every Man is a Trained Soldier and Subject to Call by the Government.

[Newark Evening News:] The republic of Switzerland furnishes an example in the way of military preparedness well worth study. It has no standing army, and yet every man is a trained soldier and can at any time be called upon to defend his country. There has been no violation of Switzerland's neutrality, not only because her topography is unfavorable for invasion, but because neighboring nations have a wholesome respect for the trained valor and thorough equipment of her citizen soldiery. Military training in Switzerland begins at the age of 8 years. From the ages of 17 to 49 service is compulsory at the call of the State. All males not incapacitated serve thirteen years in the aufzug, twelve years in the landwehr and six years in the landsturm. From 8 years to 17 the boys receive military instruction in the public schools, and when they enter the aufzug they are prepared for actual training in arms. In the first year of their service they spend from sixty-seven to ninety-two days in camp or maneuvers, depending upon whether they belong to cavalry, infantry, artillery or engineers. In each subsequent year they serve thirteen days. The total service for the thirteen years is 141 days for infantry, 146 for engineers, 160 for cavalry and 163 for artillery. This makes a total of less than six months for the thirteen years, but the training is that of actual warware and the product is trained and seasoned soldiers.

This Swiss force can only be called for defense against invasion. For an offensive campaign a new army must be raised by volunteering.

Australia has a similar system, supplemented with a small regular army of 2354 men. Boys begin training at 12 years. Junior cadets are from 12 to 14 years, senior cadets from 14 to 18, and then comes the National Guard, embracing all able-bodied men between the ages of 18 and 26 years. Senior cadets get sixty-four hours' training each year, but do not go into camp. The National Guard has sixteen days' training each year for six years. This law was passed in 1911, and it is expected that by 1919 there will be 100,000 senior cadets and 128,000 militia in training.

There is not the same thorough preparation and equipment in Australia as in Switzerland, but in both the result is to have a large body of trained and disciplined soldiers upon whom the government may call at any time, instead of being compelled to rely upon volunteers, ignorant of the very rudiment of a military education, undrilled and undisciplined.

The Yale "Bowl."

[Engineering News:] Yale University has a new football amphitheater called the "Bowl" that is unusual in many respects. Unlike any of the previous structures of the kind in this country, the seat slabs are placed directly upon the earth, instead of being supported aboveground on beams and columns. It is an "amphitheater of earthwork." It is built on a level plain from which the earth was excavated to a depth of twenty-seven feet in the center, and used to form round the playing field an oval-shaped embankment about twenty-seven feet high. The Bowl occupies a field of twenty-five acres. Its outside dimensions are 750x950 feet; those of the playing field, 300x500 feet. Its dimensions are far larger than those of either the Colosseum at Rome or the ancient amphitheater at Pompeii, which the Bowl most closely resembles. The structure can accommodate 61,000 persons, who reach their seats through thirty tunnels. It will be used exclusively for football games. Harvard and Yale played the first game within its walls on November 21.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
(Advertising.)

For quick action drop answers to Times "liners" in Times' liner boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "liner" section.

The Times Branch Office, No. 619 South Spring street. Advertisements and subscriptions taken.

Few people, even well-informed residents of this State, know how stupendously California has achieved in 1914. The Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1, tells what these great accomplishments are.

Doubles.

NO EUGENICS FOR BURBANK.

Stage of that Theater Made Arena of Infants.

"Baby Mine" is Triplets and Spells Laughter.

"When Dreams Come True" Opens at the Majestic.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK

It is a wonderful thing to have an instinct for twins, while the man with a bride welcome for triplets has a heart of gold and ought to have a pocket book of the same stuff.

Either contract is no light matter, even though the subject is treated lightly at the Burbank this week.

A single baby is likely to have tremendous staying qualities, which, coupled with its capacity for paregoric, midnight strolls and sterilized milk, makes it a guest of consequence, not to say disturbance.

The old saying that every little bit added to what you have, makes just a little bit more, is especially true of babies, where two or three of them appear at the same time. Babies should occur serially and not concurrently. When numerous babies transpire simultaneously, there is likely to be more or less confusion in the household upon which this visitation of providence is made.

"Baby Mine" is a glowing example of this homily. It is not a case, however, of the Lord giving and the Lord taking away.

The story is merely that of a foolish little wife, who wants to recall a jealous husband, and who thinks a baby will be the best bait. She has his friend telegraph him that he is a father and in her haste to land a baby of plausible age, she succeeds in collecting three with no chance for natural selection or any other kind of differentiation to get in its work.

One of the babies is kidnapped for the purpose and the other two are rented for the afternoon and night from the washerwoman. Somehow a washerwoman always has babies to spare. You never knew a couple who could not afford one, who didn't have from six to a dozen and you seldom see people who could afford twenty with any at all. This is one of the facts of existence, which helps preserve the axiom that the ways of providence are mysterious.

Nobody understands, least of all the playwrights and the washerwoman. Anyway, you could read this over and over until you were speck blind without finding the answer. It is a grand thing to be able to stand off and say of this world, "I never made the thing and I'll be hanged if I'll be responsible for it."

That is my attitude toward the world and also toward the latest production at the Burbank, but I am willing to say a good word for the latter. Any play that has babies appearing comfortably through the front door and disappearing with less comfort, but more mirth down the fire escape in a succession more rapid and picturesque than sentimental is certain to get a laugh.

If I live to be 1000 years old I will never see a more wonderful father of the triplets to be never had, than Forrest Stanley in "Baby Mine," nor a more bewitching mother under trying circumstances than Miss Beatrice Nichols.

When Stanley takes those three infant prodigies in his arms and smothers them to his manly bosom, his parental pride exudes in a purple cloud that descends in a shower over the audience. When Miss Nichols buries her head in the pillows and shrieks her protests against everything that is happening, you somehow divine what it is to be a mother of a large family and not have a child to your name. Miss Nichols was as dainty and as clever as the delicious nonsense of the part ever contemplated.

William G. Colvin, as Jimmy Jinks, friend of the afflicted family, did his duty with a nobility that made a classic out of absurdity. He was a scream from first to last and makes the farce one long laugh. He has delicious support in Miss Grace Travers, while Mr. Applebee, Mr. Scott, Mr. Oaker and Mr. Rand assist in preserving the humor of the situation. Miss Bryson makes a stunning Italian mother of just the proper exaggeration, and Miss Josephine Bumiller a witching little Maggie O'Flarety.

Away with eugenics and bring on "Baby Mine."

At the Majestic.

"When Dreams Come True" at the Majestic is advertised as a "romantic musical comedy of youth," and we have been taught to look with leniency upon the foibles of the young. Judging by its immaturity this comedy is in its extreme youth and we can only hope that it will be better when it grows up. Charity is supposed to cover a multitude of sins. Here is a chance for a generous critic to spread his mantle.

The dreams would not be so bad if there were more of them and if they appeared oftener. There are fourteen of them in the chorus, but the book does not often challenge their materialization and the music is a negligible quality.

In the first act there is a sad, little skeleton of a ship on a phantom sea. The ship is lonely for passengers in spite of the detective, the hero and the two girl smugglers.

The detective is a very great detective and he admits this a number of times in the first act. In the second act the hero is proud of himself and the heroine is saved some more.

In the third act there is much dancing and singing and marrying and giving in marriage.

When a book depends for its smartness on such bright lines as, "We should worry" and "Nobody ever broke into society with the name of Smith," it is safe to expect the worst. Every cloud has its silver lining and this show, which I consider bad as a whole, has a few possible, if not redeeming, features.

Joseph Santley, Edward Hume, Mignon McGibeny and Ruth Randall would acquit themselves with credit in something more worthy of their talents, and Marguerite Wolf is a clever clown girl of the Sis Hopkins type. The show has a couple of songs which get over, yet nothing really catchy or catching.

Reform Movement.

[Topeka State Journal:] Massachusetts is asking for recognition in the matter of prison reform. The inmates of her penal institutions are now furnished with night shirts. But one would have thought such a cultured center would have provided pajamas.

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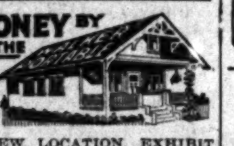

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 27.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.87; at 5 p.m., 29.93. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 90 per cent.; 5 p.m., 7 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., west, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 6 miles. Highest temperature, 61 deg.; lowest, 47 deg. Rainfall for season, 4.25 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair Monday, light northeast wind. Sacramento Valley, Santa Clara Valley and San Joaquin Valley: Fair Monday; light northerly wind. California, south of the Tehachepi: Fair Monday; light southwest wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Forecast for Arizona: Fair Sunday and probably Monday, slowly rising temperature.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 20.80 feet.

CRUSHED BY AUTO.

Pedestrian, Struck When Glare of Headlight Blinds Driver, Has Small Chance to Live, Surgeon Says.

Struck down by an automobile driven by P. E. Dodge of No. 1326 West Seventh street, while he was walking on the San Fernando road near Pepper street, early last night, Jim di Leonardi of No. 651 Lamar street suffered a fracture of the skull. The accident occurred when Mr. De Leonardi attempted to escape one machine and ran in front of the car driven by Mr. Dodge.

At the Receiving Hospital, where the injured man was taken in the police ambulance, Police Surgeon Roome declared he has little chance of recovery. He was removed to the County Hospital.

According to the story told by Mr. Dodge to the police, the injured man was walking and he had reached a point in the road which was shaded by trees. The light of Mr. Dodge's car had burned out and blinded by the lights of another automobile, he was unable to see Leonardi. No arrest was made.

CRIME OR FOLLY?

Declaring he had attempted to kill himself, Rodger Lamell of No. 912 East Forty-fifth street was discovered by Patrolman Paul Stevens wandering near his home early last night. Lamell, who is 16 years of age, was shot through the right arm. The boy is held by the police, who believe he was shot while attempting to enter an apartment-house.

Real Land of Babel.

[London Chronicle:] The region of Transcaucasia, where operations are toward between Russians and Turks, has the most curious mixture of races of any district in the world. It is, indeed, a huge ethnological museum. Of its 10,000,000 inhabitants, only half a million are Muscovites, though all, of course, are subjects of the Czar. Four millions are Tartars, two millions Armenians, two millions Georgians, and the remainder are Turks, Kurds, Persians and members of minor nationalities, varying in race, language and creed. It has been estimated that no fewer than sixty languages are current in the Caucasus between Mt. Elbruz and Mt. Ararat.

Asleep "with His Boots on."

[London Chronicle:] "When I say dressing," writes one of those anonymous sportsmen from the front, "that only means putting your boots on, and I'm not sure if we're supposed to take these off; but I do, because it's such a rest to the feet." There was a great commander who called for the men who could "sleep in their boots." And the definition covers two very different classes, the men who retire from action and the men who keep themselves ready for it.

The real story about the grandest world's fair programme of sports ever put up is in the Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY.

Los Angeles, Cal., November 28, 1914.
To the Stockholders of Los Angeles Investment Company:

TAKE NOTICE that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 756 South Broadway, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing the directors of said corporation for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Thursday, December 31, 1914, at 5 o'clock p.m., and will be reopened at 10 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1915.

The polls will remain open until 6 o'clock in the afternoon of said Monday, January 11, 1915.

All proxies must be submitted to the Secretary or Auditor for examination and registration on or before Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1915, at 5 o'clock p.m. of said day.

H. V. DAVIS,
Secretary of Los Angeles Investment Company.
By order of the Board of Directors.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF THE FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES:

The annual meeting of stockholders of The Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles will be held at the bank building, on the southwest corner of Main and Fourth streets, in the City of Los Angeles, California, on Tuesday, January 12, 1915, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

V. H. ROSSETTI, Cashier.
Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 12, 1914.

December 1, 1914.
Sealed Proposals will be received at office of Treasurer, Pacific Branch, N.H.D.V.S., Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles County, Cal., and there opened at 12 o'clock, M., December 30, 1914, for Construction of a Combination Dining Hall and Kitchen at above named location, in accordance with plans and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals, can be had upon application to the Treasurer. E. W. MOORE, Treasurer.

DECEMBER 16, 1914.
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at office of Treasurer Pacific Branch N.H.D.V.S., Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles County, Cal., and there opened at 12 o'clock, M., January 15, 1915, for Furnishing and Installing a Steam Heating System in Hospital at above named location. Specifications and other information can be had upon application to the Treasurer.
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VITAL RECORD.

DEATHS.

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Pictorial City Sheet (II.)

Ever-advancing Southern Metropolis — *California and the Coast—6 Pages*

The Los Angeles Times

XXXIVth YEAR. MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1914.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION { By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 / By the City Directory (1914)—516,217

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SENATOR'S NIECE DEAD.

Relative of Robert M. La Follette Passes Away at Home of Her Sister in this City.

Miss Florence Mabel La Follette, niece of United States Senator Robert M. La Follette, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Waterbury, No. 5814 La Mirada avenue, yesterday afternoon. Death was due to a dropsical affection.

Miss La Follette was a native of Sutton, Neb., and came to California about two years ago. She was 40 years of age. A brother, residing in the East, is the only other immediate relative she leaves, besides the sister mentioned. Her father was W. M. L. La Follette, brother of the Senator.

Funeral arrangements have not as yet been completed, but services will probably be held in the chapel at the Hollywood Cemetery tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the interment will be made in the same cemetery.

ON ITS LAST LEGS.

Mexican Banker Says He Doesn't Think Turmoil will Exist There Much Longer.

"Conditions in Mexico are appalling and cannot continue much longer, if for the only reason that there will be no money and what is worse, no food to carry on the fighting of the many factions," said R. Ruiz Benito, vice-president and manager of the Occidental Bank of Mazatlan, who fled from that place last July when the Huerta regime was tottering.

"War has stopped all lines of business and there are today more than 150,000 of the most influential Mexican citizens living in exile in this country, the majority of them in California," he said, while sitting in his room at the Lankershim, where he arrived yesterday from an extended sojourn in San Francisco.

"Carranza has apparently lost his hold and from the outlook it does not seem possible that Villa will be able to keep his. No matter how powerful the President may be who finally gains the ascendency, it will take a number of years to bring back real peace and settle business conditions again," he stated.

At the time he fled from Mazatlan, the bank inspector of the government was captured by the revolutionists and shot to death. The same fate was intended for Mr. Benito, because he had assisted in transferring considerable of the funds to safety in this country for the benefit of other Mexicans who had fled to Los Angeles in advance.

MUSICALE AND BARBECUE.

More than 125 persons from Palms and Culver City enjoyed a musicale and barbecue at the Vaquero Club yesterday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hellerman and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Miller.

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SOCIETY GIRLS HURT IN WRECK.

Auto Overturns; Two Misses and Escort Injured.

Call Undertaker When Man is Thought Killed.

One Car Hits Curb; Another Driven into Tree.

A gay automobile party came suddenly to grief early yesterday afternoon on the San Bernardino road at Fair Oaks avenue, on the outskirts of Pasadena, when a motor car occupied by two Los Angeles society girls and their young gentlemen escorts, turned turtle in avoiding a collision with another car. The young ladies suffered many lacerations on their faces, heads and arms and numerous bruises. One of the young men was so seriously hurt that for a time it was believed he had been killed and an undertaker had actually been summoned.

The injured are:

Miss Rose Lippincott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lippincott of No. 1256 West Adams street.

Miss Beatrice Mesmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mesmer of No. 3500 Manitou street.

Robert Smith of No. 2824 Menlo avenue.

Scott Garrity, who was driving the car, which is owned by Platt Rogers, Jr., escaped without injury, though he was under the machine with the others when it was lifted off of them.

AT LEISURELY GAIT.

There were three other machines in the party, which was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Rosecrans of Rosecrans Station, near Gardena. The merry-makers left Los Angeles shortly after noon for a tour of the orange belt and, according to Mr. Rosecrans, were traveling at a leisurely gait along the San Bernardino road when an automobile, whose occupants he does not know, hove suddenly into sight on Fair Oaks avenue.

Mr. Garrity, at the wheel of the car that was leading the party, saw instantly that a collision was inevitable unless he took chances with the curb, and he decided to do so. The driver of the other machine was just as thoughtful and pointed the head of his car toward a tree, the automobile being damaged, but the occupants escaped with minor bruises.

When Mr. Rosecrans and other members of the party arrived on the scene of the wreck they found Messrs. Garrity and Smith and the Misses Lippincott and Mesmer securely fastened beneath their wrecked automobile. Mr. Smith was unconscious with severe cuts about the head, from which blood flowed copiously. The others, believing him dead, summoned an undertaker. Before the latter's arrival, however, Mr. Smith had regained consciousness and was able to be removed to his home. Late last night the young man's father said he was resting as comfortably as could be expected and his recovery is considered certain.

PAINFULLY HURT.

Of the young ladies who were injured Miss Lippincott was the most seriously hurt. She received many ugly gashes about the face and head and at her home last night it was announced that she was suffering acutely, though not considered to be in a critical condition.

Miss Mesmer was removed to the home of a friend in Pasadena. She has many cuts on the face and hands, but was able to telephone her parents that she was not seriously hurt.

The accident occurred at about 1:30 o'clock, while the occupants of the four machines in the party were enjoying a pleasant ride and happy in anticipation of a big dinner at a country inn, the plan being to return home late last night.

The machine that turned into a tree is a Cadillac, but the name of its owner could not be learned. He was driving the car and had two passengers, one of them a woman. All of them were more or less cut and bruised, but none would accept offers to be taken to their homes. Instead they summoned an automobile repairer and, having their car fixed up, continued their journey later in the afternoon.

TO ROSE TOURNAMENT.

Santa Fe to Run Special Trains from This and Other Cities to Pasadena on New Year's Day.

The Santa Fe has made special arrangements to handle excursions from all points of Southern California to the Pasadena Rose Tournament on New Year's Day and in addition will run seven or eight trains from Los Angeles to the Crown City. The first of these leaves La Grande station at 8 o'clock in the morning and thereafter at fifteen-minute intervals until 9:45, arriving in time for the parade.

Immediately after the parade, one or more of the specials will return to Los Angeles, the majority, however, waiting until the completion of the afternoon sports and chariot races at Tournament Park. Many tickets are already being sold by agents in the San Bernardino Valley and as far distant as San Jacinto and Temecula. Special service direct from Santa Ana to Pasadena will also be featured.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for Art Bowers, Mrs. J. Corbett, Chandler J. Edwards, Ed Fisher, Mrs. L. Firame, F. Free, J. R. Henkle, E. G. Kerber, Mrs. E. A. Lobsinger, Francisco Luzzua, R. V. Legrand, Branlio Majica, Dr. A. Ward Miller, Mrs. R. E. Myers, Isaac Pacht, Edward Scher, Mrs. B. E. Smith, Robert Smiley, Mrs. T. L. Stockton, Walter Tomlinson, H. Umioto and W. A. Young. At the Postal: Mrs. M. B. Coffman, Joe Skollard, Leon Douglas, H. T. Mulligan, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson, Mrs. E. G. Juvett, Mrs. J. V. Duncan, Munder & Munder, Moulton & Merrill, Marguerite H. Clark, Milton Barager, Mrs. W. B. Pierce and K. Ota.

Holds Housewives Responsible for This.

Short weighting to end next Friday—maybe.

At least such is the ambition of State Superintendent of Weights and Measures Johnson, who will have a chief deputy here to take charge of the business of educating housewives to their work. At present, says Mr. Johnson, housekeeping is the biggest and worst-managed industry in the State.

He Blames the Ladies.

NO MORE SHORT WEIGHT, NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION.

"HOUSEKEEPERS are indolent; they are the wasters of the world and the boosters of the cost of living. They conduct their business, which is the greatest business in the State, without system or sense; and the State is going to bring about a day of reckoning for them."

The man who says these things is the man who intends to bring about the change. He is Charles G. Johnson, State Superintendent of Weights and Measures. After next Friday, January 1, he will have a deputy in Los Angeles county and that deputy will have several assistants. The examination for the office was taken under the civil service regulations last Tuesday and the name of the successful candidate will be announced within a few days.

As soon as he is installed in office he will take up the work that Mr. Johnson outlines. Off will go the tacks on the counters in the dry goods stores, and the thumb measure will no longer prevail among the grocers. New and accurate methods of measurement must be installed, and must be used. Short weights and short measures are twins of business disorder and dishonesty and are to be routed from the commercial life of the city.

But the great attention of the new sealer of weights and measures is to be directed toward the housekeepers to awaken them to a sense of the tremendous loss caused by their indifference and neglect. When he mentions housekeepers, Mr. Johnson puts his hands aloft, indicating despair.

"The leading business in the State today is housekeeping," he said, "and it is the worst conducted business in the world. The capital involved is greatest. No other business touches it. Yet it is the poorest handled, most incompetently managed, most wasteful business there is. It affects life more than any other business, yet it is the most unsystematic and most unprogressive.

"Modern life has made the housekeeper too lazy; they who should be the guardians of the family funds are the most monumental wasters; on them lies the blame for the increase in the cost of living and the responsibility for its decrease.

"I am going to try and interest the housekeepers in the necessity for economy in the household, and I intend to try to impress on women's organizations the importance of a thorough investigation and study of the marketing problems.

"Housekeeping is successful just in proportion to the thought given it. The dollar is a medium of exchanging just so many pounds, inches or ounces of commodities. The commercial scale measures this amount for her. Uncle Sam guarantees the dollar, the State of California now guarantees the scale, assuring the purchaser full value if she or he will put these instruments to intelligent use.

"The public must arise to a full appreciation of this protection and profit by insisting upon the rigid enforcement of the full weight and measure laws. This concern need not imply suspicion. Merely every precaution should be taken to insure absolute fairness. These laws governing the weights and measures are the only laws the State has passed dealing directly with housewives and the gigantic business of housekeeping, and for that reason every phase of it should be of vital interest to housekeepers."

Supt. Johnson has had conferences with many prominent club women of the State and has been assured of their support in the campaign. As soon as the chief deputy for Los Angeles county is named he will be sent to Sacramento for a period of schooling in his duties. As soon as he is securely launched in his work the Board of Supervisors will appoint deputies for him at the expense of the county. All will work under the direction of Supt. Johnson in an effort to awaken the housewife to her opportunity.

Jekyll-Hyde?

ACCUSE REALTY MAN OF WHOLESALE FORGERIES.

Taken by Detectives Who Surround His House, Declared to Have Two Names and to Have Executed Five Fraudulent Transactions, Making Thousands of Dollars, He Denies Everything.

ACCUSED of having maintained a remarkable double identity for about six months and having by wholesale forgeries of deeds and mortgages mulcted victims of about $16,000, L. C. Canfield, a real estate man of No. 4217 West Sixth street, was locked in jail yesterday. He is specifically charged with forgery.

Tired of playing hide and seek with detectives of the District Attorney's force, who surrounded his house Saturday night, Canfield came forth and blamed things on "H. Rabild," owner of a Monrovia address and bank account.

Last night Dist.-Atty. Fredericks declared Rabild is none other than Canfield; that the real estate man has done business under both names and so far as can be learned, no actual Rabild exists.

The District Attorney also stated Canfield had made a partial confession of guilt, but this was denied by the prisoner. He also denied he was Rabild and reinforced denials with the assertion he has done absolutely nothing wrong.

Saturday an official of the Title Insurance and Trust Company of this city called the attention of the District Attorney to documents in the records that indicated all was not right. The matter was investigated and Saturday night officers went to Canfield's home. He remained indoors and the place was watched till morning. Then he came out and was arrested by Detective MacLaren.

Most of the day was spent by the prisoner and officers at the offices of the insurance and trust company. The quiz there, it is asserted, developed five separate fraudulent transactions, ascribed to Canfield, and involving many, perhaps a hundred, forgeries. These forgeries were of names of property owners, mostly non-residents, and of mortgage holders and even of notaries public, it is declared, and attests were made and signed with names of notaries who at the time were not in this part of the country.

Of the five fraudulent transactions laid at Canfield's door by the authorities, one is typical. It is alleged the real estate man forged a mortgage for $10,000 on property in Clearwater, owned by a Mr. Cook, who lives in the East. Then, apparently to make the mortgage appear real, payment of $7000 was credited there-

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Reward.

DEAN GETS THE JUICIEST PLUM.

He is Named Chief Deputy District Attorney.

J. D. Hunter for Head of the Secret Service.

Two More Appointive Places Are Left to Fill.

Harry Ellis Dean,
Who will be the new chief deputy District Attorney. Mr. Dean was campaign manager for Dist.-Atty.-elect Woolwine.

District Attorney-elect Woolwine, who will take office January 4, announced yesterday the names of those who will fill four of the six places within his appointive power. They are:

For chief deputy district attorney, Harry Ellis Dean.

For deputy in the unclassified list, C. W. Woolwine.

For chief of the secret service bureau, J. D. Hunter.

For secretary, Bonner Richardson.

Two detectives are yet to be appointed by Mr. Woolwine.

Other places in the staff of deputies will have to be filled, but the men for the jobs will come from the classified lists. One or two vacancies are now in sight, including that created by the resignation of Deputy District Attorney Hammon, who will begin a private practice. With some other resignations expected to follow, it is believed a very complete change of legal talent will mark the advent of the new prosecutor.

Mr. Dean, the chief deputy-to-be, has lived in this city fifteen years and has been associated with Mr. Woolwine in the practice of law for several of these years. He was also manager for Mr. Woolwine during the recent campaign, and the latter's election was due in no small measure to the work of Mr. Dean. After serving as executive secretary in the police department, he joined forces with Mr. Woolwine early in 1907 and with him engaged in a crusade against bucket shops in the city. The association has continued to this time. Mr. Dean was born in Toledo, O., and is 43 years of age.

The newly-named deputy of the unclassified list, C. W. Woolwine, is a cousin of the District Attorney-elect. Born in Nashville, Tenn., in 1886, he came to California in 1907, attended Leland Stanford University and graduated from the law department of the University of Southern California in 1910. A year before that he entered the office of ex-Judge J. W. McKinley and after being admitted to practice, was associated with Mr. McKinley until April, 1914, when the latter retired. Since then Mr. Woolwine has practiced with his cousin.

J. D. Hunter, to be the secret service bureau chief, is a native of this county, born here in 1867. But four years of his life have been passed elsewhere. For a part of the period between 1899 and 1903 he was captain of the yard and deputy warden of San Quentin Prison. He is now in mercantile business at No. 540 South Spring street.

Bonner Richardson, for about two years Mr. Woolwine's secretary, will continue in that capacity. He is 28 years old, a native of Kentucky and a graduate of the New York Law School in the class of 1909. He was admitted to the bar in New York that year and in California in 1911.

LABORER PARTLY BURIED.

C. Ramerez, a laborer employed by James Kennedy, a contractor constructing a storm drain near West Eighth and Park View streets, was seriously injured yesterday in a cave-in. Ramerez was working alone at the time. Fellow workmen removed a large quantity of earth under which he was partly buried. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital for a broken right leg and possible internal injuries.

GAS OVERCOMES BABY.

Harry Swartout, Jr., 2-year-old son of Harry Swartout of the Flower apartments, No. 318 South Flower street, was nearly overcome yesterday when a gas heater burned the oxygen in a bathroom. By the time a police ambulance arrived the boy had partly recovered. He was declared out of danger.

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	"I Am Longing for the Days that Might Have Been"	Edna Brown, Jas. F. Harrison
17655	"He's a Rag Picker"	Peerless Quartette
	"Poor Pauline"	Billy Murray
17666	"Back to the Carolina You Love"	Peerless Quartette
	"Tennessee, I hear You Calling me"	American Quartette

Dance Music

17606	"Parisimo," One-Step	Victor Military Band
	"Jamais," One-Step	Victor Military Band
35419	"Humpty Dumpty," Fox Trot	Victor Military Band
	"Spookville Chimes," Fox Trot	Victor Military Band
35422	"Hits of 1915—Medley," Fox Trot	Victor Military Band
	"My Tango Girl," Fox Trot	Victor Military Band
17664	"Metropolitan Hits"—Medley, One-Step	Pietro Deiro
	"Corker Medley," One-Step	Pietro Deiro

The above is only a suggestion of the good ones—hear the first Celesta Records by Felix Arndt, the patriotic records of Germany, Austria, France and Belgium, also the Red Seal Records by the great artists, Whitehall, Alda, Powell, Braslau, Gluck, Reimers, Destinn, Elman, Paderewski and others.

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And Shower of Gold to Aid National Fund.

Late Lord Roberts and Dead of Ranks Mourned.

Music that made of death divinity swept through the heights of the Trinity Auditorium yesterday in a melodious memorial to "Bobs," the famous English general, Lord Roberts, and to the English soldiers and sailors dead at the battle front and on the sea. Speeches that carried praise for their virtues and sorrow for their end accompanied the music in the formal memorial service.

At the close, the greatest memorial act of all was performed in answer to the second appeal for the British relief fund, to which sympathisers responded by giving $253. Already $6847.75 had been raised and forwarded to the Prince of Wales.

It was the second great gathering of British sympathizers formally called to express a formal grief. At the first, the enthusiasm of the opening of the war gave novelty to the atmosphere. Yesterday, it was grief for what had happened that brought the thousands together.

Lieut.-Gov. Wallace was chairman of the meeting, and before introducing the speakers, gave a resume of the burden of death that Great Britain was bearing, signally focussed at the death of Lord Roberts, who was described as being "as truly a martyr of the battlefields in this war as any many shot down at the front."

"Why do the Nations Rage?" was the solo sung by Fred C. McPherson, followed by an address by the Rev. R. B. Gooden, principal of the Harvard Military School. Love, he said, is fighting the great war.

LOVE THE MOTIVE.

"The men do not know it, but it is love that actuates their heroism and gallantry, and it is expressed in four ways: renunciation, heroism, patriotism and sacrifice. Many thought that heroism was dead, that commercialism had become triumphant. Vividly does this war prove otherwise.

"We here today have a great mission to perform, a mission to memory and a mission to help, and I ask that you give as liberally of your stores as you can."

In introducing the Rev. Robert Freeman of Pasadena, Lieut.-Gov. Wallace asked that the speaker tell of the peace in Ireland, though he happened to be a native of Scotland. The Rev. Mr. Freeman has a rich and rampant stamp of Scotland to his tongue.

"Every Scotchman knows that a Scot has merely an accent," he said. "Only the Irish have a brogue." And for ten minutes whimsical Scotch tales kept the audience laughing. In the more serious parts of his address Dr. Freeman touched the audience more deeply than most speakers would attempt. He brought tears.

"In the daily life under normal conditions," he said, "we must sacrifice. For the smallest unit of society we must sacrifice; for the family and the home. In professions we must sacrifice; the minister must and the doctor, too. Now it is the soldier that must sacrifice, and tremendous, greater than all else, is that which he must give—his life.

"It costs to love a nation. It is a great price we must pay for such love. But none is too great to pay it—none, not even that noble old character, retired, away from war's alarums in the peace of his country home. But Lord Roberts felt that he loved his country so that he must give it what he could. And the country asked his life, and his life he gave."

Following came a union of music that put the ache of sorrow into the soul of harmony. Will Garroway, official organist for the Trinity Auditorium, played the "Dead March" of Chopin. From hidden lofts about the auditorium the wounded music came with such impressiveness and beauty that the audience was suspended for the time. And then came the song "Abide with Me," sung with exceptional power by Miss Alice Lohr, a prominent soloist, who donated her services for the afternoon.

EMPIRE IS ALIVE.

Reynold E. Blight, member of the Board of Education, said: "I am not neutral. It is impossible for me to be neutral. I am a stanch adherent of Great Britain in this fight. I cannot be otherwise.

"Some said that the spirit of the empire was dead. This war has shown its living vitality, the heroism and bravery and spirit of sacrifice which its children bear in their hearts."

The talk ended in a spirited plea that all should give to the cause as liberally as they could.

In his report as treasurer, John Alton said he had already forwarded £1300 to the Prince of Wales Fund and had sufficient money to send another £300 for January. The contributions from all sources, prior to yesterday's meeting, amounted to $8291.65. In addition, $500 had been remitted directly from Santa Monica; $500 had been given by the Sons of St. George, and $1500 had come from Santa Barbara. The Sons and Daughters of the British Empire, founded in Glendale at the opening of the war, have already spread over the entire San Fernando Valley, Mr. Alton said, and promise to include every British descendant in Southern California. This organization is raising funds independently.

The memorial services ended with the playing of national airs of Great Britain on the pipe organ.

The members of the Executive Committee on the platform were C. White Mortimer, British Consul; H. N. H. Woodcock, secretary of the Relief Fund Committee; John Alton, treasurer; F. Winstanley, Mrs. McArthur, S. H. Beard, Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Dr. A. L. Macleish, Hugh Evans, Robert Sharp, Dr. J. C. Copeland, John C. Austin, Cyril H. Bretherton and Robert Smith.

Railroads and steamships have made elaborate plans for bringing millions of travelers to California next year. The Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1, tells what they are and what the tremendously increased traffic means to Los Angeles.

MEXICAN IS ARRESTED.

Supposed to Have Some Knowledge of Battered Skull of Mexican Woman Found at La Brea.

A night in jail and an inquisition on the part of police detectives brought the admission yesterday from Cleo Garcia that she knew Mrs. Paula Marquez, the Mexican lunch-counter keeper, who is believed to be the woman whose battered bones were found near the Rancho La Brea. The woman said that she was in the habit of making trips to the Rancho La Brea with Mrs. Marquez for the purpose of selling liquor to Mexican laborers.

Following information furnished by Cleo Garcia, P. M. Downey, a Mexican for whom the police were seeking, was arrested yesterday. He is held on suspicion. Accompanied by Downey, Deputy Sheriff Gillis and Detectives Browning and Bowe made numerous trips to Sonoratown yesterday in an effort to find Juanita Moreno, a Mexican woman with whom Mrs. Marquez is supposed to have made a trip to Chino. According to the account given the detectives by Downey, Mrs. Marquez made a trip to Chino about five weeks ago. She has not been seen since.

The local police are awaiting the arrival here of Mrs. Lucille Villa of No. 1412 M street, San Diego. Mrs. Villa identified by description the hat and a lace collar found on the dead woman as belonging to her mother-in-law, Mrs. Paula Marquez. Such a hat was worn by Mrs. Marquez the last time Mrs. Villa saw her in Los Angeles, which was last September, according to Mrs. Villa's statement.

According to Mrs. Villa, her mother-in-law sold liquor illegally to men in construction camps. Mr. Downey informed the local police that Mrs. Marquez made one of these trips to Chino five weeks ago in company with Juanita Moreno. He believes she left Chino and without meeting her acquaintances in Sonoratown, left for the Rancho La Brea with a woman from Chino.

Democratic.

WALNUT GROWERS TARIFF VICTIMS.

MUST SELL NUTS AT LOSS OR HOLD THEM A YEAR.

Differential of Six and a Half Cents in Favor of French Product, Due to Cheap Labor, Means a Big Deficit to California on Last Tenth of the Crop.

Because of the reduced tariff on walnuts California growers are forced to sell what remains of this year's crop at 2½ cents per pound under opening prices, or hold the nuts over until foreign shipments have been exhausted. This is the declaration of H. Vanders, assistant manager of the California Walnut Growers' Association.

"In a normal year the present tariff of 4 cents per pound woul bring such uneven competition from abroad as to yield no substantial profit to the California grower," stated Mr. Vanders. "But this season brought an unexpected condition in the European war. France, which is the heaviest producer of high-grade walnuts in Europe, has been handicapped in making her usual exportation to this country. Another condition was the extremely early maturing of the California crop, some of which we were able to ship before October. Prices for early nuts, which entered the market before the European nuts were ready, were high. Probably 90 per cent. of the crop was sold at good prices, but the remaining 10 per cent. will have to sell at reduced prices or be held over. The French variety of No. 1 soft-shell walnut brings only 11½ cents per found f.o.b. New York, while the California growers have to ask 18 cents f.o.b. New York. I do not need to repeat that the difference in labor scales in Europe as contrasted to California explains the differential."

Southern California produced 8500 tons of walnuts this season, which is approximately one-half of the national consumption. The prices received by growers have allowed them little better than $75 per acre, which does not justify the investment necessary to produce this product. Under the Republican tariff provision of 5 cents per pound the grower prospered and the industry was in a fair way to progress.

"But conditions under the Democratic administration are very discouraging," states Mr. Vanders.

STUNNING BLOW AROUSES IRISH.

JACK DIAMOND "SEES KELLY" WHEN ATTEMPTING TO BURGLARIZE STORE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, Dec. 27.—Although Patrolman A. B. Kelly took the count when struck a stunning blow with a jimmy by Jack Diamond, whom he discovered in the act of making his way into the postoffice and C. W. Ruth's grocery store at Shorb Station, just southeast of the city early yesterday morning, he recovered quickly enough to make a plucky chase, which resulted in the capture of the belligerent highwayman.

Diamond, who appears to be about 42, says he is a veteran of the Boer War. He claims South Africa as his home. He asserts he attempted to break into the store for food, and had no intention of entering the postoffice, which occupies part of the premises.

Kelly was making his rounds in the neighborhood of Shorb and when near the store heard noises at the entrance, which aroused his suspicions. He soon located his man, and was about to seize him when he was struck.

The fact that Diamond had burglar tools in his possession intimates that he is likely more of a thief than a starving man, and he has been taken to the County Jail to await the action of the court.

Complaints of attempted hold-ups are being made from different parts of the city and the constable and his men are having a lively time answering the calls. Two women on South Hidalgo avenue, one of the most exclusive residence sections of the city, telephoned to police headquarters Friday night that they had been attacked by a highwayman who jumped at them from behind a tree, as they were on the way to the car line. They broke away from the fellow and, although the neighborhood was aroused and the patrolmen were on the scene in a few minutes, no trace of the man could be found.

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MEANS MONEY FOR THIS CITY.

Freight Rate Increase Help to Local Carriers.

Will Save Many Agencies and Insures Improvements.

Word is Given to Go Ahead on Notable Works.

Hailing the supplemental 5 per cent. freight rate increase to eastern roads as a forward step towards prosperity, local railroad men declare that its effects will be quickly felt here and elsewhere.

"The moral influence of the commission's action in the eastern lines' rate appeal is noticeable in railroad circles the country over," said General Traffic Manager Wann of the Salt Lake. "It means a readier market for railroad securities of all kinds. This is an especially desirable asset for western lines, all of which are in need of large sums of cheap money for extensions and betterments."

Mr. Wann also advanced the belief that the rate increase is indicative of a changing view of railroad operation and that it augurs well for an affirmative answer to the western railroads' appeal to the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to reduce Pacific Coast terminal rates to the level of the water carriers.

Vice-President McCormick of the Southern Pacific voiced the same belief, placing especial emphasis on the need of permitting the railroads to participate in the hauling of transcontinental freight on the same basis as the steamship companies. As he pointed out, a loss of tonnage by the railroads means fewer trains, fewer dollars to distribute to employees, and also inability to meet bond payments. This last would result, he asserted, in discounting whatever aspect of desirability which has been given railroad bonds in general by the freight rate increase.

HOW IT HELPS US.

Locally, the first result of the rate increase is expected to be a cessation of the demand on the part of foreign or non-western lines that agency expenses shall be cut to the minimum. During the normal year, nearly $1,000,000 is spent here by foreign lines, nearly all of which will be directly benefited by the rate increase in office rent and wages. This is money which goes into general circulation, a contribution by these lines to the general welfare of the Southland.

For a year past there has been a general disposition by these lines to cut expenditures to the bone, and, in one or two cases, to look favorably on plans to move from a ground-floor to second-floor locations and to dispense with traveling agents. It is violating no secrets to state that a number of general and commercial agents here had been informed that maintenance of forces and holding of agency locations would be contingent on the granting of the increase. Consequently, the announcement that the Interstate Commerce Commission had granted the increase was thankfully received by many.

On the score of the possible increased acceptance which railroad bonds will receive in the marts of the world, it is pertinent that the Pacific Electric has $8,000,000 in bonds to offer for sale, for the construction of a subway west from the Hill-street station, as soon as the city amends its laws by which a parkway is made inviolate.

Perhaps more pertinent was the statement of Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific, on his recent visit to this city, that between $40,000,000 and $60,000,000 in system improvements are being held back until money becomes "easier." With increased rates for the eastern lines and the general rehabilitation of the railroads' credit, many predict that the near future will see the Southern Pacific in position to carry forward the great improvement work outlined, in the bulk, by Mr. Kruttschnitt.

IMMEDIATE RESULTS.

Among the railroads directly affected by the rate increase, the upward tend of optimism made itself felt early. On the very day that the Interstate Commerce Commission announced its decision, the Pennsylvania Railroad notified the Altoona shops to proceed with work on 1050 all-steel box cars, the order for which had been placed a year earlier. This order had been held in abeyance pending a clearing of the railroads' financial horizon. The same day the Union Tank Line Company asked bids on 500 tank cars; the equipment companies in the neighborhood of Chicago and St. Louis put 10,000 men back to work, and various lines rescinded orders to take 100 passenger trains out of service.

An interesting commentary on the whole situation is that no rates to this State are affected by the Interstate Commerce Commission's decision, as commodities are handled in and out of California under blanket tariffs. It is further of interest that, so far as railroad men of this city are informed, there is no plan on foot for the asking of a rate increase for the western lines.

BUS DRIVER ROBBED.

Young Man Passenger Rides to Lonely Corner, Produces Revolver and Pockets Day's Receipts.

Held up early yesterday morning by a young man who was a passenger on his "jitney" bus, M. P. Sinclair of No. 1125 West Fifty-first street was robbed of all the fares he took during the night.

Mr. Sinclair was hailed at Washington and Main streets on his last trip out by the young man. The passenger paid his fare and rode to Forty-ninth and Hoover streets, where he alighted. As Mr. Sinclair prepared to start his bus the man called that the automobile tail light was out. The "jitney" driver alighted and looked. The light was burning.

When Mr. Sinclair turned around a revolver was thrust against his side and he was told to "shell out." Mr. Sinclair "shelled out" $6.25 and was told to move on. He did so. The affair was reported to the police yesterday.

Vivid impressions of a clever Los Angeles girl on the gladness and color of San Francisco's exposition are related in Times, out January 1.

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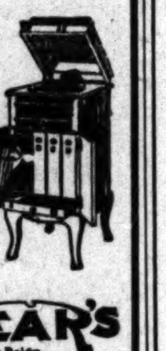

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Accuse Realty Man.

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on and a balance of $3000 shown. This mortgage, it is charged was then sold to Miss Caroline Schertz of No. 466 East California street Pasadena, for $2700. This transaction, it is said, was made by "Rabild."

Among other allegations is that a citizen of Monrovia lost $5000 and an eastern owner of local property $2000, the latter through an alleged forged satisfaction of a mortgage.

Some time was spent in trying to run to earth the mysterious Mr. Rabild. It was found he had rented lock box No. 615 in the Monrovia postoffice and had an account in a bank there. Moreover, he had had transactions with banks in this city and altogether was a somewhat active man of business for one so shadowy. Late last night Canfield, in the City Jail, insisted Rabild lives and has his being in Monrovia.

Humanitarian.

JOLT FOR THE WHITE PLAGUE.

JEWISH ASSOCIATION PLANS MORE GOOD WORK.

Report Submitted at Annual Meeting Shows Successful Year of Work for Consumptives and Cash Enough on Hand to Triple Accommodations for the Suffering.

With net assets amounting to $22,878.98, the close of the most prosperous year of the Jewish Consumptive Relief Association was marked last night by the second annual meeting on the top floor of the Majestic Theater building. After reading the cash balance, President B. Cohn, under whose direction a sanatorium accommodating twenty-five persons has been built, was given an unanimous vote of thanks for the efficiency of his administration.

The new plans outlined last night for later action by the board of directors, include the tripling of the present accommodations at the sanatorium, giving it space to care for seventy-five patients. This extension will provide for the completion of the main building which is now in the course of erection, at a cost of $7500.

Recently six new bungalows have been added to the group of small buildings surrounding the central structure. One source of great satisfaction to those who have so liberally supported the charity is the fact that the death rate was unusually small, as no effort to select patients with reference to the stages of their illness was made. The real estate on which the sanatorium is located is valued at $110,000, and is considered ideally situated for the purpose.

More than 200 prominent Jewish people attended the meeting last night to discuss the progress and needs of their favorite charity.

On January 10 the board of directors of the association will meet to elect officers and make appropriations for the year.

GAME RAIDED IN LEADING HOTEL.

"DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS WRONG" IS DEFENSE OF FIVE IN POKER PARTY.

After watching a poker game in the Alexandria Hotel for over an hour, four police officers early last night entered the room and placed under arrest five men. The prisoners gave the names of M. Mull, W. Aahran, W. H. Cole, M. Hart and M. Franklin. Mull, who, it is alleged, conducted the game, was released on $100 bail, while the other four were allowed to leave the City Jail after having put up $25 each.

Climbing to the roof of the hotel, Plainclothes Officers West, Oker, Davis and Box watched the five playing in room 942. According to the police the game was straight poker and several hundred dollars were on the table at the same time.

The police entered the room behind a bellboy who had been called to deliver a drink. The men when placed under arrest declared they had been playing poker in the building for over ten years and did not know it was wrong. They declared the hotel should pay their fine. All of the prisoners declared that they are salesmen and come to Los Angeles only once in a while. The case will come up in Police Court today.

AUTO HITS BOY.

Angelo Marabile, a 10-year-old school boy living at No. 2255 East Sixteenth street, was hit by an automobile driven by E. J. Hampton yesterday at Santa Fe and Vernon avenues. The boy, who was riding a bicycle, was thrown to the street and suffered a fractured right leg, contusions of the head and abrasions of the thigh and right arm.

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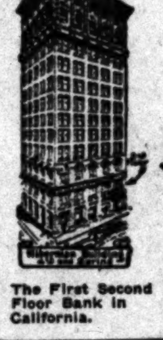

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Warn City of Reprisals.

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ered with the expectation of hearing plans announced for defending the young outlaw. Several men mounted a box and talked, several more tried to, but when they started to preach religion and education as means for the eventual solution of the situation which now faces each member of the I.W.W. they were hissed, jeered at and compelled to stop.

"We don't want to hear nothin' about religion and education" said the same leader who advised his hearers to go out and get the money.

As one rather decent-looking man stepped upon the box and started to give the crowd advice as to improving their conditions, a tall, gaunt, dirty-faced individual bellowed:

"Get off of that box. We didn't come here to hear a sermon. We come here to find out what we are going to do for those poor fellers that's up there in jail and the fellers that's bein' arrested every day. You know we ain't forgot what happened in this here town a year ago last Christmas (meaning, presumably, the riot in the Plaza when police officers were compelled to shoot down a number of the I.W.W.'s) and we want to hear an old-fashioned I.W.W. talk."

POLICE MORE VIGILANT.

When Chief Sebastian was informed last night of the advice given to the lawless gang as to going out and getting the money he ordered increased vigilance on the part of the police department in rounding up suspicious characters, with especial attention to the I.W.W.

The Chief declared he is determined to rid the city of this murderous gang and that, if the Council will allow him to add 100 men he has asked for, he will complete the job in a short time.

JITNEY RETURNS COME TOO SLOW.

JOY RIDE PAYS EVEN LESS, AS COST IS COUNTED IN SANTA ANA JAIL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 27.—A jitney bus owned by J. G. McGinnis and entrusted to the care of Homer T. Rathbone brought Rathbone and five others to grief and the City Jail today. Rathbone and Charles Quinn are under a charge of grand larceny, and will also be charged with passing fictitious checks, according to the police, while Dan McGreal, C. Newton and Maude Newton are also in jail on investigation.

It is stated that Rathbone and Quinn, tired of taking in the nickels here, went to Los Angeles, where they loaded in the other young men and Miss Newton and Mrs. Roland, and the crowd went joy riding to San Diego, scattering checks in their path. They were arrested on their return at Santa Ana this afternoon by Detective Winters.

One breathes the spirit of romance, sees the beautiful buildings and comprehends the magnitude of the San Diego exposition in reading the graphic word picture in the Midwinter number of The Times, out January 1.

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...was this special presence of God, ...he could be conscious of, ...ses prayed for on Sinai. Look- ...rth from Sinai upon that long ...through the wilderness, in- ...perils and difficulties which it ...ed him to contemplate, he ...that he must have the immedi- ...realized presence of Jehovah. ...that not precisely our feeling, ...last Sunday of the year as we ...out into the fog that hangs ...the unknown future? A sense ...companionship is wholly im- ... Should the new year bring ...ow, as it may do, only the ...ion of the presence of Christ ...enable us to meet it bravely ...riously. The stress of tempta- ...will surely come upon us. What ...felt nearness of the mighty ...will give us the courage, the re- ...or the strength to battle with ...come forth from the conflict ...and not victims? So also with ...ible successes, the achieve- ...and the pleasures of the New ...They will cause us to lose our ...and quite unnerve us unless ...dying, sobering sense of God's ...be ours.

...under these conditions we take ...ve of the old year and start ...upon the course of the new ...God makes the same promise to ...He made to Moses: 'My pres- ...shall go with thee, and I will give ...rest.'

...requirements must we meet ...would realize the fulfillment of ...promise and enjoy the conscious- ...of the divine companionship. ...we must believe in it. To doubt ...bar ourselves at once from its ...ment. Unbelief will veil God's ...ce instantly. Second, we must ...by it. As a farmer counts upon ...rain and sun and does his work ...pendence upon them, so must a ...live his life in a certain de- ...ce upon the faithfulness of ...unfailing promise to give him ...esence. Third, we must look ...presence. As a wife looks to ...and's presence, or a child to ...nce of its mother, or a tour- ...t of his guide, and all ap- ...the sympathy or succor ...hat presence yields, so must ...to the presence of God in ...dependence upon it, day by ...moment by moment. Fourth, ...hold on it. Never go where ...pecial presence cannot accom- ...us. Never do what will turn ...face away. Never let sin come ...dispel the sense of that holy ...ionship. And fifth, we must ...that presence. Do what will ...it. Walk the paths where it is ...come to us. Cultivate its com- ...ship. Seek it in prayer and ...commune with it. Search for ...the word of revelation and ad- ...disclosures of it. Go where the ...of God are met to invoke it. ...in work that is intended to ...and exalt it. Let any one of ...these five simple conditions ...divine companionship will ...fail us, but be a glowing, grow- ...perience down to the close of ...year."

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John M. Barnhart, pastor of ...venue Methodist Episcopal ..., spoke yesterday on "The ...heology." He said in part:

...new theology may be said to ...odern statement or application ...ancient truth. Theology, new ...is made up of theories of re- ...life and experience. Because ...limitations of human thought ...must always be more or less ...t or incomplete.

...tatement of religious truth is ...y from time to time, in the ...ce to correct error, and in ...d place to present it so that ...have pith for the masses ...views have been altered by ...cial, industrial and political ...ments.

...esting the traditional theories ...theologian wishes to apply ...it and method of science. The ...logy stands for reverent cu- ...and inquiry as prerequisites ...development of the religious ...thought.

...was characteristic of such ...as Socrates, for which reason ...intellectual debtors to that ...race.

...an old religious truth gets ...statement or a new application ...conditions there were those ...to exclaim, remove not the ...landmarks our fathers have ...Can an Italian be saved with- ...serving all the teaching of ...scriptures? That was a ...question in the days of the ... When Peter and Paul an- ...in the affirmative they had to ...full explanation, and give good ...for going against the tra- ...of the church.

...twentieth century needs to ...the old truth, that God is not ...any one of us. ...as we come to realize that ...all we do, hears all we ...knows even the motives ...prompt our acts, we will live ...as becometh followers of ...

DR. EBY.

...UNITED BRETHREN.

...MAY BE STOLEN FROM A MAN ...WHAT MAY NOT BE TAKEN ...WHEN HE IS A CHRISTIAN.

...John Albert Eby of the First ...Brethren Church took as his ...yesterday "Burglar Proof," and ...from John xvi:22, "And your ...man taketh from you." He said

...recent wave of crime in ...has impressed us with our ...helplessness even in modern ...with all our perfected plans for ...when the thief, burglar or ...plans to ply his trade. Our ...our possessions, our good ...and even our lives seem so ...in the hands of others, espe- ...at the mercy of the unworthy citizen. Our lives seem to stand with every door open to the meanest or the most heavenly guest who cares to tread the portals. We are in many respects at the mercy of all who know us or come in contact with us.

"No one can shut the gates of his soul and refuse to let others in. If he does he closes his heart against all good influences as well as the evil. We are sometimes impressed with the fact that every man is architect of his own fate. And while there is a sense in which that is true, yet still remains this other view of life, that any intruder who chooses to do so may come in and pluck away our dearest possessions without our ability to stop him. The merchant's goods are stolen, the householder's possessions purloined, the reputation of the public man attacked and blackened, the business of the professional man undermined by slanders.

"All men everywhere are the prey of the vultures of society. What a pity it seems to us that a family should be innocently attacked by midnight marauders and their happiness and safety instantly destroyed without help or recourse. How terrible that with the bullet of a low-down assassin the whole future of a family should be cast under a cloud of sorrow and mental agony which years can scarcely dispel.

"No man can steal away the joy of a Christian's triumphant faith. No man can steal your joy in a faithful performance of your duty. You have worked hard and long to render full service in the public office to which you have been chosen. No hours were too early or too long to fill with patient and painstaking toil to meet the full measure of your sense of public obligation and public trust. But on some unfortunate day, some jealous or conceited enemy has stabbed you in the back. He has lied about you. He has maligned you and imputed unworthy motives to you. You are helpless at his hand. Ears seem more ready for his damnable gossip than for a word of merited appreciation. You feel the sting of the dagger, the sensitive soul smarts under the cruel stroke.

"Wait a moment, you faithful public servant, Jesus says that no man shall take the joy out of service well done. They may lie about you in the papers and whisper about you in the gossiping social circle, but in the end the joy is yours. Jesus Christ says that the joy of loving, faithful and Christian life is absolutely burglarproof. Thousands of persons hated and abused Abraham Lincoln. He was probably the most thoroughly persecuted American that ever lived, but what matters it now, no name has in it so much of music for the genuine patriot, no other name in all American history shines so brightly as the name of Lincoln. No maligner could subtract one iota from the glorious luster of his matchless character."

DEAN MACCORMACK.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL.

LET US SING CHRISTMAS CAROLS GLORIFYING GOD IN TIMES OF WAR AS IN PEACE.

Dean MacCormack at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral preached yesterday on the subject "Glory to God in the Highest and on Earth Peace, Good Will Toward Men." He said in part:

"The question is being asked by many as they recall that this is the Christmas season, is it right that we should make merry and be glad. Is it right that we should sing jubilant songs and play lively music, when so many are in suffering and in sorrow.

"That question has been recently brought to the front in a very able way in a little book entitled 'Our Brother Joy.' The writer in the opening chapter, outlining under the heading, 'The Ascetic Blight,' the history of those in the past who have felt that joy and gladness was not properly a part of the faith.

"Then he goes in to point out that if we take the example of Jesus to be our guide and inspiration we must feel that the element of joy enters very largely into the Christian life. When the Master entered upon the active work of his mission here on earth, his first miracle was at the wedding feast of Cana of Galilee, when his work was practically over and the burden of the world's sorrow rested heavily upon His heart, we find Him going out to spend the evening with his friends at Bethany. If there be any that are wondering what they should do in the presence of this great cataclysm that has come upon us let them turn to those experiences of their Master and shape their interior life in accord with His.

"Thus Christmas has another message as we contemplate the situation that confronts us. There are those who try to give a reason for the struggle that has arisen. There are some who feel that it is racial. The Teuton against the Slav. There are others who think that it is only a national movement of expansion upon the part of Germany. There are still others who believe that the lives that are being lost and the blood shed is in the interest of small states and with an eye to preserve the sacredness of treaty rights. There is a deeper reason. These are but at best superficial considerations. The struggle is now a struggle of ideals. Is it true that might is right? Must the mailed fist prevail or shall the gospel of peace, which was the gospel of Jesus, be the guiding or dominating influence in human life?

"Let it be heard from every pulpit. Let it echo in our halls of legislation; let it be proclaimed in our courts of justice; let it be taught in all our institutions of learning, this grand old Christmas carol: Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, good will towards men."

DR. DAY.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

THE GREAT WAR MAY LEAD AT ITS CLOSE TO UNIVERSAL PEACE FOREVER.

Dr. William Horace Day, pastor of the First Congregational Church, at the Christmas services yesterday spoke on "The Promised Prince, the Prince of Peace." He said in part:

"While every man is a mirror of God, we are so tarnished and the aberration of the lens is so great that men looking at us see the divine in the tarnished mirror but darkly; but in Christ is the light of the knowledge of the glory of God. In Him was the express image of the Godhead bodily. We marvel that in an age when Israel was developing the conceptions of the unity of God in conflict with polytheism, it is remarkable that a prophet should have seen the necessary corollary of the unity of God would be the ideal of the incarnation of that God that he might manifest himself to his human children. We read of the increase of his government there shall be no end.

"As we follow the course of the influence of this promised prince during 1900 years we see the truth of that prophecy, we see that of the increase of his government there has been no end; but he is also declared to be the Prince of Peace, and of the increase of peace there shall be no end. Yet, at last the increase of peace has been brought to an end and 18,-000,000 soldiers bearing the name of the Prince of Peace are at war with one another. It is a terrible commentary upon the influence of Christianity in Europe. We are appalled at the seeming collapse of a general peace era. What shall we say to these things? As we approach the manger cradle today is it impossible for us to believe that He is the victorious Prince of Peace?

"Go back to the beginning of the fourth century. For 300 years two powers struggled for the mastery of humanity—the church and the world. The Christians of that time had begun to believe that the Lord's triumph was near, when suddenly the persecution of Diocletian terrified the Roman world. This Emperor had organized the old power of the state with consummate genius and hurled it full upon the growing Church of Christ. In the midst of this ten persecuted Christians began to doubt whether the promise of Christ's victory could ever be realized; but the modern historian tells us that without that terrible struggle against the religion of Christ the age of Constantine would have been impossible. Mixed as were the motives of Constantine and all those who were in authority in his time they claim that good could not have been accomplished at that time had the Roman Empire failed to pass through the terrible testing of Diocletian's persecution. Perhaps fifty years from now the historian writing from the midst of an age of peace overflowing with blessings because strife has been stilled, will write that the present glorious age could not have been realized without the awful world war of 1914-1915, which demonstrated that hate and war could not advance human welfare. 'Heaven takes a long time in its workings, but its work is done forever.'

"Let us come to the manger of Bethlehem as did the simple shepherds and the learned wise men to worship Him, giving our gifts and our lives to Him, believing that of the increase of His government and of peace there shall be no end, because the zeal of the Lord of Hosts will perform this."

REV. E. STANTON HODGIN.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH.

LET THIS WAR STEP JUST OVER THE BOUNDARY AND PEACE WILL SOON BE DECLARED.

In his sermon yesterday on "The Christmas Spirit" at the First Unitarian Church Rev. E. Stanton Hodgin said:

"For 1900 years we have been singing 'Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men;' have been proclaiming Christ 'Prince of Peace,' and calling ourselves His disciples. In the face of the great war is not all these Christmas proclamations of peace a mockery? Is it not time to acknowledge that our Christian propaganda is a failure and abandon it?

"Let us not be too hasty about drawing our conclusions. Let us keep our Christmas faith; surface appearances are often deceptive. Peace and good will may be something more than an idle dream even today. Paradoxical as it may seem we see a greater demonstration of the power and possibilities of peace even in the midst of this war than we have ever seen before—a greater manifestation of peace and good will among men. The only trouble is that it is too restricted.

"What is peace? Not mere quiescence; not mere inactivity. Peace is organized life; is such a co-ordination of the units of life that they reinforce each other instead of destroy; it is life moving harmoniously but powerfully forward to the realization of its destiny. Never has there been a more striking exhibition of this very thing than is brought out in the war itself. The very thing that makes this war so dreadful is the fact that the peace principle has gone so far—is the fact that the people within the nations are so perfectly organized, are so efficiently co-ordinated, are so self-sacrificing, so willing to sink their differences and to stand by each other to the very end. Let this thing that makes this war so dreadful go one step farther and it will make war impossible. It only needs to cross boundary lines and the thing is done. This is the next inevitable step and cannot be long delayed.

"Nationalism has gone as far as it is possible for it to go. The next step is internationalism and that step is over due, is being taken in the midst of the catastrophe that seems to be a denial of it. America is a demonstration that States can adjust their differences without violence. Our Civil War demonstrated that the greater group not the individual State is supreme, and this European war will establish the principle once for all that no nation or small group of nations can be a law unto themselves, but that all international questions must be adjusted through the whole group.

"The Christmas thought I wish to leave with you is that paradoxical as it may seem, there is really more peace and good will among men today than ever before; while Christianity for the moment seems to be swallowed up in a great cataclysm, it is only the darkness that precedes the dawn and from this mighty catastrophe it will emerge triumphant."

REV. CHESTER FERRIS.

PARK CONGREGATIONAL.

IN DEVOTING OURSELVES TO THE UNSEEN CHRIST WE ARE APT TO PASS BY THE REAL ONE.

Rev. Chester Ferris, pastor of Park Congregational Church, spoke last evening on the subject, "The Heavenly Visitor." He said in part:

"It has been a comfort to all nations to believe that the Powers Above were so interested in them as to pay personal visits at times among men. So the Greeks and Egyptians as also the Hebrews. One of the beautiful folk-lore stories of the Old Testament describes that charming open-handedness of the desert tribes in which Abraham extended generous hospitality to the three strangers and thus entertained 'angels unawares.' In like manner at the Christmas season the world is lifted into splendid encouragement at the story of heaven's interest in earth.

"Paul tells us of Him who in the form of God thought it no prize to be on an equality with God, but emptied himself and was made in the likeness of men. Jesus has been looked upon as the heavenly visitor. So spiritual and eternal is His message that He speaks as the Voice of God. So full of God's Spirit is He that He is conceived to be God-with-Us. Yet as such He was not recognized. 'Is not this Joseph's son and do we not know his brothers?' Thoroughly human, normal man, it was not realized by those who perceived not His spiritual grandeur, that as they treated Him so they treated God. And more remarkable still is one of the Master's parables. He says: 'I am your neighbor. I am the thirsty wayfarer. I was sick near your house. I was in prison one day. Did you know me?' 'Why, teacher, how could that be?' He answered, 'I am any one whom you have an opportunity to befriend. There are two classes, today and in the separation. I was sick, did you comfort me? I was in prison, did you aid me? I was your neighbor, did you visit me? For when you care for those in need, you have done it unto me. When you do not visit your neighbors, when you neglect the sick or stranded or oppressed you have passed Me by.'

"So then Christ is very near us. Know the people near by and be their friends. That is your treatment of Christ, the Heavenly Visitor. In devoting ourselves to the unseen Christ, the mystical attitude, we may pass by the actual Christ. He is near to us, even at our door. Not long need you wait for Him. He is here today. 'Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto Me.'"

DR. CAMPBELL.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

GOD IS SPEAKING TO US THROUGH THE HEART OF THE DIVINE WRITER, ASKING FOR PRAISE.

Dr. Campbell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, preached yesterday on the theme: "The Law of Life." He said in part:

"In the words of the prophet of God, 'Oh, that men would praise the Lord,' there is suggested a great desire that men would give expression to that law of life that is universal in the great universe of God.

"Nature does not arrive at its best so long as there is only the hidden life concealed under the power of winter's cold bonds. When the earth is mantled with snow and the streams are caught in the grip of winter there is not much chance for the life that is held in nature to express itself, but when the day is clear and the king of day is unhindered by the clouds and fog, when the spring sends forth her soft and enchanting breeze, then nature 'speaks a various language,' for the days of man she has 'a voice of gladness and a smile and eloquence of beauty that steals into his dark musings ere he is aware.'

"Like a grand climax in the hallelujah chorus of Handel's oratorio is this expression of the Psalmist recurring four different times in this short Psalm calling upon men to give praise to God for His goodness and His wonderful works.

"Domestic love is subject to this same law of life, for when there is no word of commendation spoken when hearts are slow to manifest gratitude for kind deeds and loving service rendered, the home is not the seat of inspiration and holy enthusiasm.

"The little child that is so deeply interested in the things that absorb its little life becomes very anxious that the household shall give expression to a feeling that insures it of an interest in its affairs, so the home becomes a place of helpfulness and encouragement when each membber seeks to express gratitude and love for service thoughtfully rendered. God is speaking to us through the heart of the divine writer, reminding us that prise and thanksgiving are sought even by the heart of the Eternal God and man is coming to his highest when he renders this praise."

REV. W. LEON TUCKER.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

GOD HAS SPOKEN TO BOTH GENTILE AND JEW—HE WILL NOT JUDGE WITHOUT JUSTICE.

At Calvary Baptist Church the pastor, W. Leon Tucker, spoke yesterday on "Did the Heavens Ever Declare the Gospel?" The speaker said in part:

"God has never left Himself without a witness and for this cause man has always been without excuse. God has never asked man to believe when there has been no revelation. God asks man to receive the gospel upon its publication. Revelation of the mind and the heart of God has been written upon two pages—the page of nature and the parchment. The primeval revelation was in nature. This is declared to us in Romans 1:19 and 20. 'For the invisible things of Him are clearly seen from the foundation of the world by the things which were made, even His eternal power and Godhead.'

"This was God's primitive revelation of redemption prior to the time He chose the nation Israel through whom He made permanent revelation in oracles. Before the choice of the nation Israel God made revelation in His work. He now makes permanent revelation in His word. In the book of Genesis we find that the sun and the stars were placed in the heavens not only for seasons but also for signs. The Nineteenth Psalm divides itself into two halves, the glory of God as seen in the heavens and the power of God as seen in the written word. In early times before the word of God came into written language, men looked to the heavens and studied the gospel, 'day unto day uttered speech.' The stars have a wonderful fascination for all and they are vocal to all who search them out in the heavens. Following this primitive revelation God gave permanent revelation. For this he chose Israel.

"They were the divinely selected race to give revelation and this was twofold. First, in the written word and second in the living word. They gave us the scriptures from Moses to John. The patriarchs, the prophets and the poets were all theirs. The New Testament from Matthew to the close is the product of this nation. They gave us also the Son of God, who was God manifest in the flesh. How the nation Israel has enriched the world, and what blessing, as a nation, they shall yet enjoy in the world. Thus we see that God has spoken to both Jew and to Gentile in times primitive, past and present. He will not judge man without justice.

REV. W. L. Y. DAVIS.

WEST ADAMS M. E. CHURCH.

IF ENVIRONMENT BE EVERYTHING, HOW COULD CHRIST HAVE RISEN FROM NAZARETH?

Rev. W. L. Y. Davis, pastor of West Adams Methodist Episcopal Church, preached yesterday on the subject, "Christ's Birth and the New Birth." He said in part:

"Culture cannot change dirt into a flower; there must be a seed. Culture cannot change a flower into a bird; there must be an egg.

"If environment be everything, then why did Judas fall; he was surrounded by the Master and His disciples. If environment be everything, how could Christ come up as a root out of dry ground at Nazareth?

"You may pasture a calf on the campus, but that does not make the calf a sophomore. There may be developments, but not in the calf.

"Educate a sinner, and you have but a sleeker sinner. He is just drawn out a sinner!

"There is no essential connection between a new heart and a plug hat.

"Development is noticable, when there is an organ existing to be developed. Rooting in a lot may make a pig's snout longer. The butting of a goat may make his horns grow longer. But there must be something to start with. You cannot make brains out of jelly, or the cannery would be the college.

"You have to have something rolled in, before you can unroll it. Petals are but rolled in sunbeams! There must be involution of deity before there can be evolution of sons of God!

"The poet cannot say, 'Brain, I send you up a consignment of carbon; deliver me a poem.' Poems are not made of carbon alone."

DR. LOCKE.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

GOD ALWAYS ARRIVES AND THOSE WHO TRAVEL WITH GOD ALSO ARRIVE WITH HIM.

Dr. Charles Edward Locke at the First Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday took for his subject "The Genius of Arriving—Getting There." His text was "They went forth to go into the Land of Canaan and into the Land of Canaan they came." Genesis xii:5. He said in part:

"If we would arrive at the full fruition of our humble talents, we must dedicate our courage to our tasks. We must have the courage of our convictions; and we must, likewise, have the courage to have convictions. Men who have the courage to have convictions will invite the criticisms of timid, fearful folk. It is so much easier to criticise than it is to arrive. It is a sign you are arriving when some people fuss about you. Feet that walk and arrive are better than tongues that simply talk and complain.

"Courage is a Christian grace—a thing of the heart.

"Oh, in our work for God and humanity and ourselves, if we would arrive, if we would reach Canaan, we must remember that 'Kings are never drowned.' Remember we are King's sons and we must achieve—we must arrive! The world gets out of the way of the man who is going somewhere. It may whine and criticise, but it makes room for him to pass. A man with a goal is a man with a go.

"The achieving of the impossible is the only sufficient task for a man. Doing what cannot be done is the glory of living. It is the impossible man doing impossible things for whom the world gets out of the way. Momentum means destination.

"Momentum is not money and might but character and service; not the law of the jungle but the law of the brotherhood. The Canaan to which character directs is the only Canaan, and character is faith and fidelity. Every one loses his way as he journeys toward the land of Canaan, who needlessly passes by the guideboards of fidelity and faith. God is at all the parting the ways, and, if disregarded, all further steps will have to be retraced.

"There are many hilltops in the Land of Canaan of a successful and holy life upon which one can find a trail which will lead him into the heavenly Canaan. If we shall arrive in the Canaan of character and achievement of faith and fidelity, there is good prospect that from some Olivet shoulder or Hermon summit we may easily trace the path that leads to the Gates of Pearl.

"After all we are learning to arrive here only that we may confirm the habit of arriving there. The momentum of character will never stop when we shall have reached the boundaries of the unseen; we shall leap right over and trust God to furnish a landing place for our feet and a home for our soul."

DR. BROUGHER.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH.

PURPOSE, ACTION, PRAYER AND PERSEVERANCE ARE SECRETS OF WINNING SUCCESS.

At the Temple Baptist Church yesterday, Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, the pastor, spoke on the subject, "Daniel—the Man Who Made Good on a Good Resolution." He said in part:

"Daniel is one of the most notable characters of the Bible. There is an atmosphere of aristocracy and nobility about his name and character. He stands out like a mountain among men. At the same time he is tremendously human and so simple in his faith that we know he is a man and not a God.

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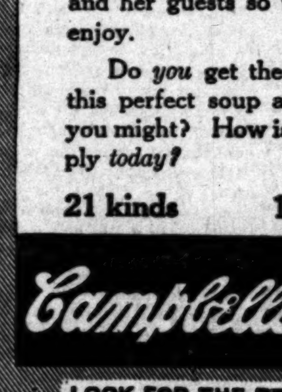

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GOING BROKE.

One of our fellow-citizens was held up and robbed early Saturday morning of everything he had, the same being 77 cents. It is perfectly easy to understand why he started for home.

THE FIREBRANDS.

New York seems to be having much investigation and debate as to the use and abuse of free speech. The question will finally resolve itself to what is fair and unfair and to what is intelligent and what criminal. Nothing is more insane than a tongue wagging without any head or heart behind it.

GET THE BUSINESS.

This new movement to strengthen the Monroe doctrine as a plank in the platform of the Republican party in the next campaign should be exceedingly popular. Our country has quite enough to do if it governs itself wisely as it stands and keeps its trade open with all other countries and their possessions.

OCCUPYING WILLIAM.

Secretary Bryan is now busy endeavoring to locate a countess who was formerly a society girl in New York. This solves a great problem for the present administration, the problem of finding something fitting to engage the Secretary of State. Mr. Wilson has finally discovered a job that is exactly Mr. Bryan's size.

JUSTICE AND CASH.

The Governor of Oregon agreed to pardon a crook convicted of swindling an aged couple out of their little home if the scoundrel would make proper restitution. He should restore the property and be punished, yet if it is a choice between the two eventualities, by all means let him make good, as the Governor suggests.

A PEACE OFFERING.

The nails have been popping out like bullets from residences at Aurora. This is the Illinois Aurora and not the New York brand, so the popping comes from the cold weather and not from Hubbard ideas. We suggest that President Wilson recall Gen. Hugh Scott from Naco and send him to Aurora to intercede with the weather man.

ALIVE IN SPOTS.

A family at Pasadena thought the father was dead and here he comes back after two years' absence and silence, having had a very pleasant trip around the world. This way some people have of dying to one locality and of being so much alive to another is enough to convince us all of immortality and the process of transition.

RUNNING FOR WISDOM.

Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, in supreme command of the British fleet, believes that running preserves the mentality. He is credited with running a mile before breakfast when on shore.

Many colleges encourage the cinder path athletics in the same belief. They declare that it makes for a versatile brain, that the sedentary scholar invariably works in a groove and will shine in a very limited area. For quick insight and emergency decision the runner is said to have the advantage every time.

Yet when one tries to recall any tennis or football player who has become great in any other department there is a distinct paucity of evidence. The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, who was one of the most versatile and brilliant minds in modern British politics, hated all kinds of exercise and never even walked a block if he could avoid it. Still, he died without achieving any of his ambitions.

"WOMAN'S WORK IS NEVER DONE."

Britannia has her hands very full just now. Like the classic housewife, her duties are never done. Besides patrolling the North Sea and keeping an eye on the Kiel Canal, lending a hand in bombarding the Belgian coast, trawling for mines, escorting vast transports across the English channel, watching over Atlantic commerce, patrolling the Pacific, performing a little firework display in the Gulf of Mexico, guarding the Suez Canal, convoying Belgian refugees, comforting Yarmouth and West Hartlepool, taking a peep at the South African rebellion, scaring the Turk in the Dardanelles, lending a hand to Portugal, dodging aeroplane bombs, raising a billion-dollar navy loan, escorting mail ships from the Argentine and United States, parading around the China Seas, keeping London soothed, watching the Irish coast, explaining to Norway and Sweden, complimenting Canada, thanking Australia, arguing conversationally with the United States, providing the food supply, selling British goods, chastising belligerent alien cruisers, burying her dead, searching neutrals for contraband, arranging for new governments in the Cameroons and the recently acquired German Islands, coaxing new recruits, training 'em when she's got 'em, pacifying weeping wives, smoothing out the pillows of the wounded, investigating spy rumors and gunpowder plots, transporting Indian soldiers, refuting a holy war, helping France get her African troops across the Mediterranean (the French fleet being very busy harassing the Austrian fleet,) and generally keeping her salty pluck up, one way and another, Britannia ought to be excused if she exhibits a few nerves and a little touchiness.

EVERYTHING IS READY; GET BUSY.

A few months ago, when the war started, everybody was scared. Dollars scampered to the storm cellars and bankers put extra watchmen and more locks on their gold reserve. We feared that Europe would drain our gold supply. But it is working exactly the other way. Europe is throwing, fairly hurling millions upon millions of dollars in gold at us. We have the goods and Europe must have them. Only last Tuesday it was announced by Charles W. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, that the nations of Europe had placed contracts to the amount of over $300,000,000 in the United States since the war started. And in time of war nations do business on a cash basis; when they run out of cash peace is restored. That $300,000,000 represents money—not promises. It represents about the normal demand of expenditures that Europe will have to make in this country every four or five months as long as the war lasts.

Oh, yes. That knocks the breath out of those old calamity howlers who have been keeping a tin can full of dimes buried out in the back yard, and then going around telling how they distrust the banks and how every fellow must hold onto his money and not buy real estate, peanuts, automobiles, or anything else but the barest necessities of life. There have been a lot of those old croakers playing Jeremiah down in the business district of this and every other city in the land. But it's their move now; and unless they get out of the business district they'll get knocked down and run over, for the wise men haven't time to stop and listen to the hard-time chorus.

But here is the big point. The situation is changing in the United States. Without a war in Europe we would still have prosperity ahead. The country is waking up; the people have realized that you can't operate billion-dollar business under the same petty regulations and supervisions that worked very well for thousand-dollar business. The nation has passed through a transition from industrial competition to industrial co-operation. It used to be that the dry goods merchant stood in the doorway and knocked his competitor across the street to every passer-by. But the merchants, dry goods and all others, have quit that antiquated, narrow-minded competition. They have joined together to boost dry goods—their own and everybody's. They sell better goods and more of them.

It used to be that the railroad president sat up nights trying to figure out some way to cut some other railroad president's throat. But they have quit that. They sit together trying to figure out some way to make all of the railroads better, more efficient, so that the general public will like to ride on the railroad. They are serving the public instead of fighting among themselves.

And some years ago, when this friendly co-operation among business men was instituted, a lot of short-sighted and antiquated fellows, who couldn't get over the ancient idea of cut-throat competition, refused to quit knocking and begin co-operating. Naturally, they lost money; naturally, their business couldn't keep up with the new activity; and they cried out that "monopoly" was killing them. And then the agitators saw a chance to have a new excuse for making a noise, and the muckrakers jumped at the opportunity to get their names in the magazines, and the nation was saturated with commercial libels and false reports of rottenness.

Many people got frightened. They wanted Big Business—the business that talks in terms of billions, employs hundreds of thousands, keeps its faithful employees a lifetime and pensions them when old age comes along—the people wanted that sort of Big Business which made the great industrial activity of this mighty nation possible—they wanted Big Business to go back to the old corner grocery plan of doing things. And the war on Big Business started—and it came near finishing Big Business. In every age there are people who burn martyrs, imprison Galileos for declaring the truth about the stars, and execrate those men—whether teachers, preachers or merchants—who are in advance of their time and trying to improve the world. Those were the kind of people who fastened onto Big Business and the men of genius that made it possible.

And if the European war had come then, or if the year 1915 had rolled around at that time, the situation would not have been such as to arouse any enthusiasm. But the people have awakened. They are beginning to see that the cross-roads store and the corner grocery and the regulations governing them belong to the commercial stone age. The people are demanding more liberty for Big Business. It was the demand of the people—not the logic and arguments of the attorneys and officials of the railroads—that secured the rise in freight rates for the railroads. The people saw that the railroads were honest, that they were doing big things, but that they were losing money because the freight rates had not advanced in proportion to the decrease in the purchasing power of the dollar.

And now not only the railroads are once again on their feet and hiring men, building new cars, improving their tracks, laying new lines; but because the people are extending the same justice to other industries the whole commercial world is becoming rejuvenated and active. And what an opportunity it is for activity at this time!

Listen: The other day the British army placed a contract with one western meat company for 5,000,000 tins of beef.

Saturday morning the first shipment of cotton was made from a southern port for Germany, and the South has a bumper crop of cotton this year to dispose of, and from now on it will go out regularly and into markets where the price is high and the demand great.

The French government has just placed a $1,000,000 order with an automobile company at Jackson, Mich., for automobiles.

The Studebaker Corporation has just been given a $15,000,000 order for automobiles and equipment.

These are only recent orders, made within the last few weeks, and made on a cash basis.

And here is the New Year—ready to come in under such auspicious circumstances. And in all the world there is no place where the future is more auspicious than in California. This European war will force hundreds upon hundreds of thousands of immigrants to the United States. Most of them will come to California. They must have land. Yes, and a few years from now many a man will kick himself heartily for being impudent to the real estate agent who tried to sell him a bargain. Right today Los Angeles is full of people who stand around telling how they could have purchased such and such a piece of property five years ago for so much, and now it is worth fifty times that amount. And five years from now Los Angeles will have yet more people who will say something like this: "Why, back in 1915 I could have got that lot for $3000—and now look at it, worth $50,000."

And there you are. There are the facts. Just get a perspective on the situation and see if your blood doesn't tingle with enthusiasm. Dig up the old tin can out in the back yard and put the dimes in the savings bank. Rout out the real estate agents and make them show you their bargains. Shed that "poor" feeling—get a new suit of clothes. Shake hands with friends and strangers as though you meant it, and let them know you have faith in yourself, in your State and in your nation, and don't let the first week of 1915 get away without your having made some preparation to join in and get your returns from one of the greatest commercial eras that this world has ever seen.

Another Early Shopper.

OUR INEFFICIENT NATIONAL GUARD.

The militia is like the family revolver: it isn't needed very often, but it is needed sorely when it is needed at all. It is evident from the conservative statement of facts published in The Times on Sunday that the family revolver is in a very dilapidated condition.

The Times is too good a friend of the National Guard of California to disguise these facts:

The Guard is at the very lowest ebb.

Target practice has not been held for a year.

Only a handful of men turn out for drills.

Feuds have broken out among the officers.

The expensive equipment furnished by the Federal government is going to rack and ruin. This is partly due to a defective and leaky armory, partly to the slipshod system which makes it possible for the men to remove government clothing from the armory and wear it out.

To assess these ills in the most charitable light this spells rank inefficiency, and this inefficiency seems to permeate every crack and corner of the Guard. The company officers are guilty of slovenly and reckless carelessness. The higher officers cannot be said to have exercised the vigilance necessary. Sacramento has run the financial and other affairs of the Guard with less system than a Chinaman would show in the conduct of a laundry. Lastly, the California Legislature has handicapped the Guard with a set of feeble-minded laws which make real military efficiency impossible.

One crucial error of construction lies at the base of all the other ills. This is the system of selecting the officers of the Guard by the votes of the enlisted men. This is nothing less than a military cancer. More properly speaking, it is a ringworm, which eats in a diseased circle.

The officers are afraid to enforce discipline among the men because of the election that is always coming. Every "guard-house lawyer" who is subjected to discipline promptly starts out on a crusade to defeat for re-election the officer who rebuked him.

This inevitably results in the men being coddled. The process of coddling the men lowers the efficiency of the organization. The whole pleasure to be found in military service comes from the consciousness of being a part of efficiency. The moment the Guard becomes inefficient it becomes distasteful to the men. So it goes in a circle. By giving the men power over the officers the real pleasure of military service has been spoiled for the men.

The National Guard will never amount to anything until the whole system is changed. Officers must be selected in much the same manner as in the regular army, by appointment after rigid examinations and after earning recommendations from their superiors as proof that they have the temperament that fits them for the command of men. Once appointed, they should hold office during good behavior. Promotions should be made through the same channels as the regular army. The officer should start as a second lieutenant and work up.

At present the local organizations of the National Guard resemble the celebrated army of Artemus Ward, which was all officers. Los Angeles is trying to support too many organizations. There are at present housed in the armory the following:

Four companies of infantry, one troop of cavalry, one battery of field artillery, one machine gun company, three divisions of naval militia, hospital corps, brigade and regimental staffs.

All of these organizations are heavily officered, but undermanned.

The machine gun company is an example of the slipshod organization of the Guard. In the regular service the regimental commissary commands the machine gun platoon. The enlisted men are experienced and skilled riflemen detailed from the various infantry companies. In the Seventh Regiment the machine gun commander holds a commission in that organization and the men have all been enlisted expressly for that service. If the Guard were ever called into the service of the United States government, this would result in hopeless confusion. Before the machine gun company could be accepted it would have to be disorganized. The commissioned officer in command would be set aside; the regimental commissary, who knows nothing about it, would be compelled to take command, and the men would have to re-enlist in other infantry organizations, then be detailed back to the machine guns.

The Times believes there are in Los Angeles plenty of young men who would be glad to join the militia if it were on the right basis and in the right hands. A wholesale house-cleaning is needed. Once put upon the right basis, the militia should be organized anew as volunteers are raised in time of war.

TOO NOISY.

Some New York hygienists are inveighing against the noises of that great city. They declare them to be a menace to health. But then some people must always be inveighing against something or other. We also hear of people going insane through overmuch silence. It has often been remarked that deaf people are more irritable than those whose hearing is acute. The majority would rather hear a little too much noise than none at all, as long as it is not the noise from chronic kickers.

STREAKS OF WIT.

His Version.

[National Monthly:] The small boy came home from Sunday-school looking so disheveled and dusty that the mother had grave suspicions concerning his having been at Sunday-school at all. He explained his disarray by the fact that he had stopped at a neighbor's house to see some young puppies and had climbed into a stable in order to be able to find them.

"What was the Golden Text?" inquired the parent.

"Don't worry. You'll get the blanket," was the answer.

"There's nothing like that in the Bible," declared the mother.

"Yes there is. I guess I know the Golden Text. Our class said it over and over."

To settle her doubts the mother telephoned to the boy's teacher.

"Harry tells me that the Golden Text today was: 'Don't worry. You'll get the blanket.' What does he mean?"

With a peal of laughter the teacher explained the boy's statement, giving the text correctly: "Fear not, the Comforter shall come unto you."

Hills and Valleys.

[Buffalo Express:] Mrs. Nurich was telling of her recent motor trip.

"How about the topography of the country?" she was asked.

"Mostly Republican, but a few Bull Moose."

While steps are being taken for the protection of the young women visiting the Panama-Pacific Exposition next year, it might not be a bad idea to do something for the young men who expect to be in San Francisco. The females are not the only ones needing protection.

THE MENU MAKERS.

BY EUGENE BROWN.

Cocktails.

The king and barons at their board;
The novice in her cloister,
Alike agree with you and me,
That all the world's our oyster.

With steel or blade its jaws we raid,
Though it may not deserve it;
Then in a trice with salt and spice,
We on the table serve it.

Soup.

Mock turtles make a good floater for a bounteous meal. The meat of a palpitating young mock turtle is delightfully tender. If you raise your own flock feed them heartily on sage and pepper, as it will impart a zest and tang to the flesh that seems most appetizing. They are called mock turtles because their shells are hollow, like the skull of a single taxer. They are hollow mockeries, as it were. When mock turtles are tamed they make delightful household pets, as they do not sing. The only noise they make is like the teasing, sibilant whisper of a member of the Order of Owls in a dry town. When mock turtles are ripe for the table they weigh about three pounds apiece dressed, or three and a half with nightie on. Take a female of the species and bust her corset cover with an ax. Then pick out the meat with a tuning fork and place in a deep pan. Cover with water; season to suit, and stir in chopped celery, toast and onions. Let simmer until the savor drives you mad with hunger, and then serve with a scoop shovel and a napkin around the throat. Soup should be gargled and not inhaled. Raising mock turtles for the market is a pleasant and profitable occupation for women. Any school of correspondence will tell you how. It is important, however, to get good stock at the outset.

Fish.

Salmon cutlets are not bad fodder in the fish line, and not even a fish line is essential in landing them. Salmon are so plentiful on the Coast that they can be taken with a fly net, bow and arrow, can opener or vacuum cleaner. The scales of the salmon can scale down the cost of living. They used to say that when the salmon went up the Columbia River they were so thick that a man could cross the stream on their backs without getting his feet wet. But Isaac J. Podgus knows better than that. He lost an uncle on a bet of that kind. His Uncle Abner started over the river on a fine spread of salmon, but in the middle the current swept a gap of a foot or more, and when a sock-eye turned with his weight he fell in. At once the opening closed above him and he was unable to get to the surface in spite of his struggles. The body was identified at the canning factory, as it was about to be cut into steaks. Nowadays cans are thrown into the river before the rush comes. When the flood of salmon arrives the fish actually can themselves, and in the wild splurge are thrown and rolled on the bank where they are picked up by the thousand.

Boiled.

Can't think of anybody who wants a boil. Had a collection of them once, and as they gradually ripened I became the most peevish person you ever saw. I shunned the companionship of my fellows and wanted to be left alone with a flax-seed poultice and a button-hole cutter. Boils are said to be healthy, and I guess they are. All that I ever had fairly throbbed with vitality. I looked like the human pineapple, but felt more like a rough-neck cactus. A progressive and assertive boil has a combination of oil stove and bee stinger in its heart, and when a feverish herd of them are in full operation in the third degree about the only satisfaction a man can get is by beating his wife, setting fire to the house and jumping off the pier.

Roast.

Everybody is ready with the roast—the tariff, the navy, the censor, the referendum, the administration, the weather, all catch it. Even the Supreme Court is not exempt from the attentions of the man with the basting spoon. The cannibal king who cooked his captive had no edge on the inflamed Socialist who roasts everything and everybody. And then when all things seem done to a turn along comes the man with another special assessment and we break out again. The roast is the piece de resistance as well as the bone of contention on the daily menu.

In holiday times the toothsome turkey comes in for a good roast, and without his juicy presence there would be less peace and good will. The turkey never did anybody harm and he goes into the oven for the good of all. When he emerges with bosom filled with steaming chestnuts, oysters or sage and his skin delicately browned he is voted the one best roast of the season.

Entree.

By this time inner man needs a bit of teasing or coaxing. Possibly a dainty broiler is brought to the board, although if he tries to furnish board for some of the fine-feathered broilers of the chorus he has an exciting and luminous future in waiting. Such a broiler must be dressed for the table and garnished with ostrich plumes, sealskin and velvet. She has no wings, but is good company for an angel and can fly as high as any of them. As to her entree—she will take care of that.

Punch.

This is fitly named, as it frequently carries a knockout with it. When it is built by a white-aproned graduate of the Keeley Institute with the assistance of a thirty-foot service bar it is apt to contain stuff that will make a man forget his home and all other liabilities. We have heard of banquets that proceeded in solemn and severe decorum until the punch was served. The preparation of this had been carelessly turned over to the leading bartender of our otherwise virtuous city and that frivolous person had taken down sundry bottles of maraschino, rum, vermouth and sauterne and produced a liquid filler that would put crinkles in a cast-iron dog. After the company had licked up a few beakers of this exotic brew they became by degrees loquacious, cheerful, enthusiastic, boisterous, confidential and belligerent, and the party would either.

Dessert.

The Christmas pudding to the table comes, with savory spices and its store of plums and, it will hardly need repeating, proof of the same is furnished in its eating.

Those in politics qualify for the finals. They are after the plums. They wait for the pie. They take the cake, and they find joy in the cutting of the melon.

"You must leave your cane in the coat-room," said the attendant at the art gallery. "What's that? Then what am I going to point at the pictures with?"—[Meggendorfer Blaetter.

Pen Points: By the Staff

Is it any violation of neutrality for ... icans to lick war stamps?

Both England and France are able to ... a loan in spite of the submarines.

Cheer up, there are but a few days ... 1914. Then you can turn over a new leaf.

Four kings at the front, and every ... standing pat. No sign of cold feet ... where.

When picking out an all-American ... ball team, what is the matter with the ... lisle outfit?

What the coming California Legis... needs more than anything else is a ... not a Speaker.

Has the Dresden escaped or been de... stroyed? That vessel ought to be in the ... navy of China.

Thousands of horses are being ... from the United States to Europe for ... in the war. Good-night, Dobbin!

The Amsterdam rumor factory is ... double turn, and making the Mole St. Nic... olas liar look like three plugged dimes.

The lumbermen on the northern ... Coast are complaining of prices. ... bunch of shingles and boost things ...

With Uncle Joe Cannon and Senator ... tine in the Sixty-fourth Congress there ... danger of the members suffering from ...

Industries are resuming all over the ... country after having been idle eight or ... months. And there was no war then ... have been some other reason.

Congressman Gardner will not get his in... vestigation, of course, but he has been ... to succeed Richmond Pearson Hobson ... top-liner. That ought to help some.

The argument has been knocked ... the old theory that women are the ... sex in wartime. They have suffered ... with the men, especially in Belgium.

Oliver Morosco's "Peg o' My Heart" has ... been played to the inmates of the ... penitentiary. What will the ... claim they have not had a show ...

The people on the island of ... rocks for money. Recalls the time ... the Civil War, when we had ... mentioning in this country ... money.

The babies who cry at the ... are possibly practicing to become ... eratic stars. There may be a ... Garden in the list, if it is ... Mary is a singer.

In the game of politics it is ... for gentlemen to discuss ... the statements of expenses ... by Con... gressional candidates are ... what they do not contain.

It is proposed that President Wilson ... the Bull Moosers a share of the ... if they vote with his party. But if the ... Moosers bargain themselves away ... vision of the Federal sop what is to ... of the great uplift?

Ex-President Taft says it would be a ... lation of the Monroe doctrine if there ... be an invasion of Canada by ... That might be all right in theory, but ... would it work out in practice? ... would resent it, and do it quickly.

An east side woman's organization ... other night debated the question, ... give a woman greater pleasure to ... self praised than to hear another ... criticised?" The jury to whom the ... tion was left is afraid to report.

The talk of a tariff commission ... amount to much unless the Constitution ... amended so as to take the revenue ... power out of the hands of Congress ... a power that cannot be delegated ... ent conditions. Under the law ... board could not fix rates or ... change existing schedules.

The schoolboy who includes a study ... Spanish language in his curriculum ... on the high road to a fine position ... fight for South American trade ... will in this country in a very short ... is the key to closer understanding ... life, culture, work and aspirations ... nations that are destined to be ... with us in ever closer union.

THE MEN OF THE EMDEN.

What matter if you
Be stanch and true
To the British blood in the veins ...
When it's "hip hurrah!" for a ...
done,
For a fight well fought and a ...
run—
What matter if you be ...
Hats off to the Emden's crew ...

Theirs was the life of the storm ...
Uncounted miles from the Father...
With a foe beneath every wisp of ...
And a menace in every strip of ...
Up glasses! Paul Jones was ...
these,
Hull, Bainbridge, Decatur, ...
too!
(Ha! those pirate nights ...
In a ring of foes,
When you douse your lights ...
And drive home your blows!)
Hats off to the Emden's crew ...

Erect on the wave-washed deck ...
And heard with a viking's ...
The whir of the wings of death ...
And the voice of death in ...
night!
Under the sweep of the wings ...
By the blazing gun, in the ...
While a world of enemies ...
fumed,
Remote, unaided, undaunted ...
They stood—is there any, ...
Who will choke a cheer ...
but scoff?
No, no, by the gods of valor, ...
To the Emden's crew—
Hats off!
—[Thomas R. Ybarra, in New ...

XXXIVTH YEAR.

Theatres—Amusements

MOROSCO'S BURBANK
Matinees Thursday,
Start the New Year Wi...
Happiness Ma...
Optimism Brin...
YOU WILL ENJOY A LAUGH A MINU... BECAUSE THEY ...
"BA...
MIN...
That's Why Two Capac...
Away Happy
It's a Cyclone
Special New Year's Mat. Frid...
REGULAR BURBANK PRICES: Nights 25, 50 ...

HAMBURGER'S MAJEST...
THIS WEEK ONLY—EXTRA NE... POPULAR MATINEE WEDNESDAY AN...
JOSEPH SA...
In the New York Musical ...
"WHEN DREAMS ...
COMPANY OF 50 PLAYERS AND DA...
PRICES: Nights 25c to $2.00. New Year's ... 25c to $1.50. Popular Matinee Wednesday. ...

MOROSCO THEATER—
SECOND CROWDED WEEK ... SPECIAL NEW YEAR'S ...
Kolb & Dill In Their St... and Go... Staged Musi... ebration.
PRICES: Nights and Saturday Matinee, 25c, ... 35c, 50c and 75c. EXTRA MATINEE NEW YEAR ...

BROADWAY, Between 6th ...
AMERICA'S FINEST ... THE ...
Orph...
THE ... STANDA...
BEGINNING MATIN...
Twentieth Anniversary,
DOROTHY ...
The Girl with Two Grand ...
CHAS. CARTMELL & ...
New and Exclusive Song...
GENEVIEVE W...
America's Foremost Harp V...
CHARLOTTE F... Violinists.
ASAHI ...
Assisted by Asahi Quintette ... Magic, Mystery and ...
Zoe—EL REY SIST...
Clever Skaters.
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"A Happy Combina...
TROVAT...
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Last week her...
"THE RED H...
With JAMES B. ...
Symphony Orchestra Concerts, 2 and 8 p.m. ... Every Night at 8, 10c-25c-50c-75c. Boxes, $1. ... Boxes, 75c. Saturday and Holiday ...

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Broadway Near 9th
All This Week the Co...
OLGA PE...
in the daring drama of international love, adventure and romance
"The ...
"A Photo Play With a ...
See It Today | Shows Start at 4:00, 5:30, 7:00, ...

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ENDORSED BY CRITICS THE FINEST AND COZIEST THEATER IN THE WEST
Matinee, 10-15-20c. Night, 10-20-25c. Next Week ...
THE ... DUS... "C...

QUINN'S GARRICK—
ESSENAY ... MAN'S CHO... MAN AND BEVERLY BAYNE, KALEM CO... NEY FUREY IN "LOVE'S OBLIGATION." ... ING OF SUSAN."

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THE POOR LITTLE ...
The Greatest Dramatic Novelty of the Period: ...
Alike for the Mature and th...
Only Company Presentin...
Not a Motion Pi...
Matinees Wednesday, Saturdays and Special Ma... Nights, 50c to $1.50. ALL Matinees, 25c to $1. ...

THEATER DE LUXE— Alvarado at ... This We...
PATCHWORK GI...
CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE

IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

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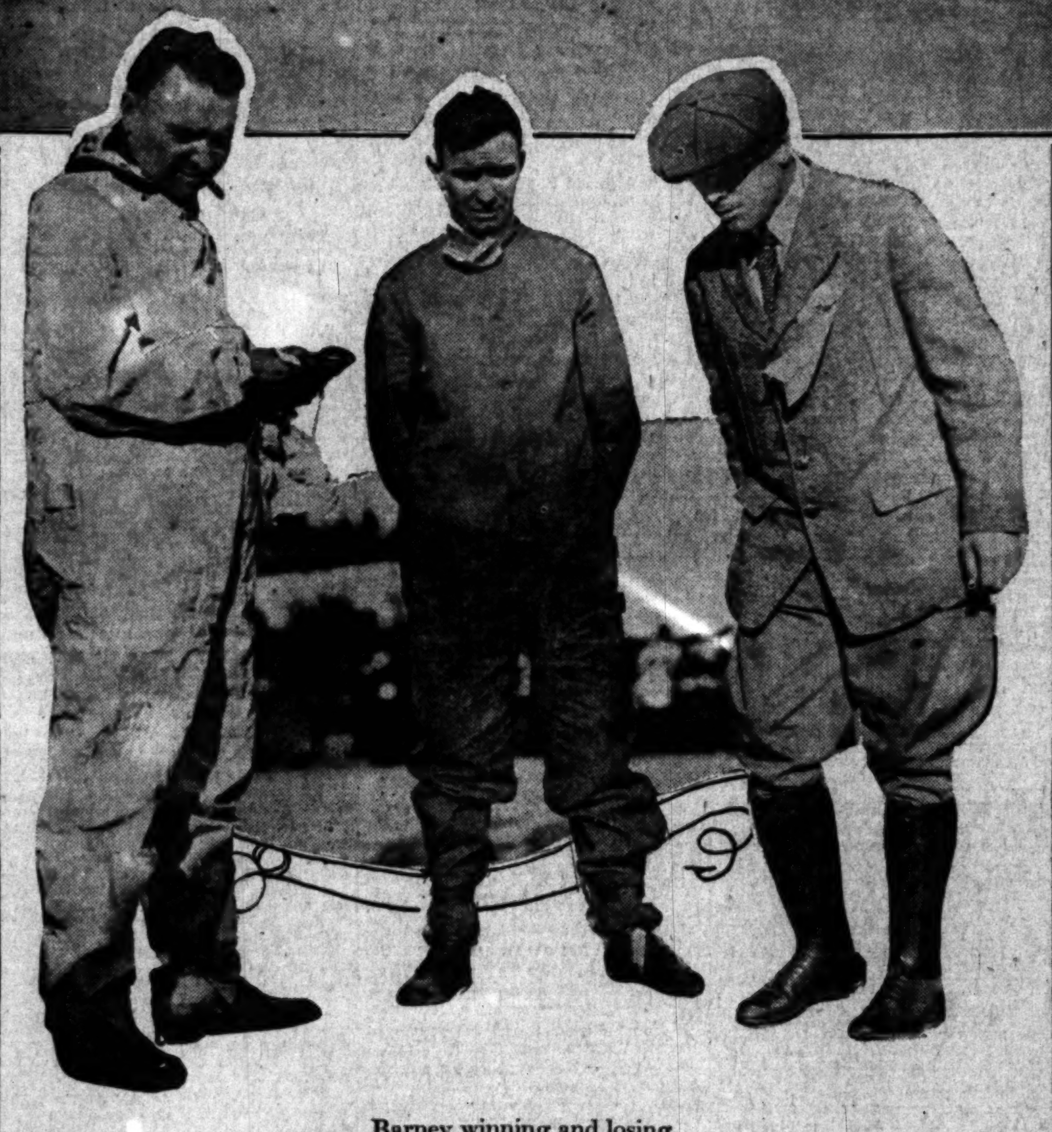
BURMAN TRIMS OLDFIELD IN SENSATIONAL FINISH



Barney winning and losing.

Below, Oldfield is seen on the left, grinning, as he wins the toss for position, while Burman (in the center) and Starter Frank Lowry look on. Above, Burman is coming into the stretch ahead of Barney on the last lap. He won by about the distance shown in the photograph.

New Record.

BURMAN HAD MORE SPEED.

Nosed Barney Out by Four Seconds.

Oldfield Drove the Cooper Stutz.

When the Cyclone's Timing Gears Broke.

BY AD G. WADDELL.

Bob Burman ate the dust behind Barney Oldfield yesterday afternoon yet led the master driver of the world across the finish line. Before the largest crowd that ever witnessed an automobile race at Ascot Park, Barney lost one of the most spectacular races of his career by four seconds.

NEW RECORD.

Driving the fifty laps in 45m. 54s., Burman clipped twenty-eight seconds off the world's record for the distance on a one-mile dirt track. The former record of 46m. 32s., was made by Louis Disbrow at Detroit, September 29, 1912.

Had Burman not picked up a nail in the twenty-eighth lap and lost seventeen seconds making the change at his pit, the time might have been faster. Oldfield went through without a stop, but the French Peugeot was too fast for the veteran's mount.

NEW MOUNT.

Oldfield was not up on his Fiat Cyclone. Had the Cyclone held up, there might have been a different ending to the race, which came yesterday as a climax to the long-standing speed feud between the speed king and the master driver.

On the first lap of the fifty-mile match race, Oldfield's Fiat went wrong. On the north turn, Barney broke his timing gears and Burman went by him like a limited train passing a flag station. Burman stopped and the race was started over again, Oldfield borrowing Earl Cooper's famous Stutz No. 8, for the afternoon.

BIG CROWD.

Soon after the noon hour, the crowds began to gather. By 1 o'clock the grand stand was well filled and there was little parking space left along the west side of the course and infield. By 2:30 o'clock there was not a seat to be found in the stands and automobiles were parked two deep along the inside and outside of the track on the west straightaway.

When the cars were wheeled up to the starting line a few minutes after 3 o'clock it was estimated there were more than 15,000 spectators inside the grounds and some estimates had the attendance as high as 20,000.

THE TOSS.

Burman won the toss and chose a standing start. Oldfield got the choice and took the pole. Both drivers were cheered as they started their motors and made trial laps to warm up their cars.

The Peugeot had it on the Fiat at the getaway. Plowing great ruts in the surface of the track, Burman jumped away from Starter Frank Lowry's flag and led Oldfield into the turn by more than 150 feet. On the turn Oldfield picked up and the Peugeot had but a few feet lead on the back stretch.

EXIT FIAT.

Into the turn the cars raced. Oldfield climbed out ahead, then something happened. Burman passed him and came down the stretch to the finish, making the first mile from a standing start in 56s.

After Burman had gone into the turn on the south end, Barney limped into the straightway and was met by his mechanics, about 200 yards from the finish of the first mile. Burman saw that Oldfield had gone out and started to stop before he got the checkered flag from Lowry.

BARNEY BOOED.

After giving the Fiat a severe inspection, Oldfield left the machine to be shoved off the track and strolled up the stretch to the start and finish line. The cheers of but a few minutes before were turned into hisses and boohs for the master driver. Oldfield was called a quitter, a yellow dog and almost every other name that went without a smile by the fickle

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Their Plans.

M'CREDIE'S BEAVERS TO TRAIN AT TUCSON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 27.—Portland's Coast League ball champions will go into spring bivouac at Tucson, Ariz., February 25, instead of March 2, as in former years. Only twenty-two players will be asked to report.

This much of the 1915 programme was given out by Manager McCredie today at ball headquarters.

Mac also gave out a list of some of the men who were sure of making the trip. Also, he announced that Southpaw Evans was in deep repentance and might be signed to a non-booze contract for the season.

Hi West, U. S. Smith and McCorry are doomed to go to some other club, however, and as Portland has fifteen pitchers on the list, and two or three others of the squad will not be asked to show up in camp.

Here's the squad as it stands today: Catchers, Fisher and Murray; pitchers, Lush, Martinoni, Higginbotham, Krause, West, Evans, Rieger, Eastley, Leonard, McCorry, Smith, Salveson, Bishop, Callahan, Barnes; infielders, Derrick, Davis, Coltrin, Reed, Murphy, Naughton; outfielders, Lober, Ryan, Doane, Speas.

"The pitching certainties are Lush, Martinoni, Higginbotham, Krause, Callahan, Bishop and Barnes," said McCredie. "Rieger is only 24 years old and ought to be a corker. He had all sorts of stuff when he broke in with us last year, but he wilted towards the close. I think that was due to his winter baseball. This year he hasn't played any winter ball and may be strong enough for our long grind.

So it Seems.

CLABBY-GIBBONS BOUT OFF UNLESS M'GOORTY RELENTS

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. PAUL, Dec. 27.—Unless Eddie McGoorty consents to postponing for three weeks the bout Mike Collins has arranged between Mike Gibbons and the Oshkosh middle, the Clabby-Gibbons bout T. S. Andrews has scheduled for January 21, at Milwaukee, will not take place if Collins can prevent it, and he says he can.

Collins and Gibbons had a long conference last evening at which it was agreed that Collins should request McGoorty to consent to postponing the Hudson bout for three weeks. A telegram was sent McGoorty, but up to a late hour last night no reply had been received.

Collins informed Gibbons that if McGoorty refused to consent to a postponement he would be forced to request the "Phantom" to keep the date he authorized the Hudson club to make for him with McGoorty, or remain idle. Collins has several telegrams from Gibbons authorizing him to match McGoorty and himself for any date after January 15.

Mike is under the impression that he wired Collins from Buffalo, asking him not to close the match, as he had one with Clabby in view. But as Collins never received the message and telegraph company can find no record of having handled it, the Hudson promoter says he has a prior claim to Gibbons's services and asserts that the Wisconsin State Boxing Commission cannot honestly deny the justice of his claim.

RELAY CARNIVAL DATE SET FEB. 20.

COACH PIPAL MAKES IT WEEK LATER THAN LAST YEAR. SANTA ANA MOVED UP.

The Occidental relay carnival will be held February 20. The date has been set a week later than last year. Coach Pipal believed this necessary because of the baseball season.

The same events will be held this year as last, with the exception of eight-man college relay. The barring of freshmen has cut down the number of available college sprinters.

The carnival is for high school track athletes. The colleges are admitted by sufferance, more that they may become acquainted with the preps.

Santa Ana has been moved out of class 2 and put in class 1, along with the large high schools—Los Angeles, Manual, Poly, Hollywood, Long Beach, Pasadena and San Diego. They proved themselves too strong for the smaller schools last year.

The events for class 1 are: Four-man mile relay, four-man two-mile relay, eight-man two-mile relay; class 2: Four-man half-mile relay, four-man mile relay; class 3 (colleges:) Four-man mile relay, four-man two-mile relay. The other events are a 100-yard dash and high jump for preps and a pole vault open to preps and colleges.

FLYNN IS TO HELP WILLARD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO, Dec. 27.—Jack Curley, who is arranging for the Johnson-Willard fight in Juarez in March, announced today that he had secured Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman to be the sparring partner of Willard for the coming fight. With Jim Jeffries and James J. Corbett as his advisers, Willard is expected to have the advantage of the best possible handling.

The fight is now practically assured for Juarez, Curley says, Tia Juana and Vera Cruz are the only two other competing cities.

Jack says there will be special trains from Los Angeles, Chicago and New York for the fight.

Unique.

BERRY MAY BE HIS OWN SCOUT.

Plans to Visit Big League Training Camps.

Thinks this Surest Way to Get Players.

Bliss Instructed to See Borton in East.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

Henry Berry, in his earnest quest for talent with which to make a real ball team out of the Seals, may boldly invade the training camps of one or more major league clubs.

This thing of a club owner doing his own scouting is a new one, and original with the fertile Hen.

SOME IDEA.

He germinated the idea while contemplating the difficulties confronting him in the absence of any alliance with big league clubs.

Berry will need at least eight experienced players, in addition to those already on the San Francisco reserve list, and he expects to secure most of them from the majors.

Unfortunately, the majors are smeared over much landscape, and it would be impossible for him to visit each of the clubs and select the men wanted. But by heading for Texas or some other State where the major league clubs are prone to congregate in large numbers during the spring, his task will be more concentrated and will involve less traveling.

WHAT HE SAYS.

"If I had an established working agreement with some major league club the situation would be greatly simplified," exclaimed Berry. "In that event I might be able to get practically all the men that I need from one team. But in the absence of this I may be compelled to look over a number of major league squads in order to get the necessary recruits. I believe that the easiest way to do this will be to visit the spring training quarters of some of the teams. Also this would give me a chance to look over the men, and I would know just what I was getting. I have not definitely decided on this plan, but it looks to be the most feasible. Soon after the first of the year I will start cided on a definite course."

Berry plans to start the Seals on their spring sweating the last week

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SALT LAKE OWES CASH.

Before Salt Lake City can launch a baseball team in the Pacific Coast League; before the Mormon city can enter organized baseball, it is absolutely certain that the club owners must meet at least $3000 due to players in the Union Association, principally the Butte players.

Several weeks ago with the announcement to the effect that Salt Lake would secure the franchise abandoned by Sacramento, brings up the situation that occurred last season when the Union Association, taking in Salt Lake, Butte, Missoula, Murray, Great Falls, Helena and Ogden, "blew up," owing the entire Butte players one month's pay.

Carl Sawyer, who is signed to a contract by Frank Isbell, president of the Des Moines club, and Nick de Maggio, free agent formerly with Butte, playing with the San Pedro Merchants' baseball aggregation, stated that the Union Association owes them for a month and three days, and many others are in the same fix.

Theatres—Amusements—Entertainments

OROSCO'S BURBANK THEATER— MAIN ST. NEAR 6TH ST.
Matinees Thursday, Saturday and Sunday
Start the New Year With a Big Hearty Laugh
Happiness Makes Optimism
Optimism Brings Prosperity
YOU WILL ENJOY A LAUGH A MINUTE AT THE BURBANK THIS WEEK BECAUSE THEY ARE PLAYING
"BABY MINE"
That's Why Two Capacity Audiences Went Away Happy Yesterday
It's a Cyclone of Laughter
cial New Year's Mat. Friday, 25 & 50c Seats Now
ULAR BURBANK PRICES: Nights 25, 50 and 75 cents. Matinees 25 and 50 cents.

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THIS WEEK ONLY—EXTRA NEW YEAR'S MATINEE FRIDAY.
POPULAR MATINEE WEDNESDAY AND REGULAR SATURDAY MATINEE.
JOSEPH SANTLEY
In the New York Musical Comedy of Youth,
"WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE"
COMPANY OF 50 PLAYERS AND DANCERS—WONDERFUL CHORUS.
PRICES: Nights 25c to $2.00. New Year's Matinee Friday and Saturday Matinee, to $1.50. Popular Matinee Wednesday. Best seats $1.00.

OROSCO THEATER— BROADWAY NEAR EIGHTH STREET. MATINEES THURSDAY & SATURDAY.
SECOND CROWDED WEEK OF THIS BIG SUCCESS.
SPECIAL NEW YEAR'S MATINEE FRIDAY.
Kolb & Dill In Their Stupendous and Gorgeously Staged Musical Celebration, "THE ROLLICKING GIRL"
PRICES: Nights and Saturday Matinee, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1. Matinee Thursday, 25c, 50c and 75c. EXTRA MATINEE NEW YEAR'S DAY, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1; Boxes $1.50.

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AMERICA'S FINEST THEATER. ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF.
Orpheum
THE STANDARD OF VAUDEVILLE
BEGINNING MATINEE TODAY
Twentieth Anniversary, Dec. 31, 1894-1914
DOROTHY TOYE
The Girl with Two Grand Opera Voices.
CHAS. CARTMELL & LAURA HARRIS
New and Exclusive Songs and Dances.
GENEVIEVE WARNER
America's Foremost Harp Virtuoso, Assisted by CHARLOTTE FRANCIS, Violiniste.
ASAHI
Assisted by Asahi Quintette, in Feats of Magic, Mystery and Risley.
Zoe—EL REY SISTERS—Klaire
Clever Skaters.
CHAS. HOWARD & CO.
"A Happy Combination."
TROVATO
Humorist Violinist.
Last week here
"THE RED HEADS"
With JAMES B. CARSON
Orchestra Concerts, 2 and 8 p.m. Pathe Twice a week News Views.
Night at 8, 10c-25c-50c-75c. Boxes, $1. Matinee at 2 DAILY, 10c-25c-50c. Boxes, 75c. Saturday and Holiday Matinees, Night Prices.

OODLEY THEATER— 10c & 15c, Lodges 25c
Broadway Near 9th All Matinee Seats 10c
All This Week the Celebrated Star
OLGA PETROVA
the daring drama of international love, adventure and romance
"The Tigress"
"A Photo Play With a Powerful Punch"
See It Today } Shows Start at 11:30, 1:00 2:30, 4:00, 5:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 P. M.

UINN'S SUPERBA
COMMENCING MONDAY
THE SUPREME AMERICAN ACTOR,
DUSTIN FARNUM In "CAMEO KIRBY"
10-15-20c. Night, 10-20-25c. Next Week—Edward Abeles in "The Millions."

'S GARRICK— Broadway at Eighth
ESSENAY TWO-PART DRAMA, "ANY WOMAN'S CHOICE," WITH FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN AND BEVERLY BAYNE. KALEM COMEDY, "THE KEY-HOLE." BARNEY FUREY IN "LOVE'S OBLIGATION." BIOGRAPH COMEDY, "SUFFERING OF SUSAN."

ASON OPERA HOUSE— Two Weeks Com. Tonight
Klaw & Erlanger Bring Eleanor Gates' Wonderful Play
"THE POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL"
Dramatic Novelty of the Period; Blending Comedy, Pathos, Spectacle
Alike for the Mature and the Youthful. The Only Company Presenting This Play—
Not a Motion Picture.
Wednesday, Saturdays and Special Matinee Friday, New Year's Day. 50c to $1.50. ALL Matinees, 25c to $1. Seats Selling.

EATER DE LUXE— Alvarado at Orange, opposite Westlake Park. This Week—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.
PATCHWORK GIRL OF OZ
CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE, 2:30 TO 10:30

Valley League a Winter Home for Men of Many Leagues.

El Centro, Valley League leaders.

From left to right the men are Cornett, manager; Kantlehner, pitcher; Concannon, pitcher; Alexander, catcher; Bassler, center field; Flick, second base; Baerwald, right field; Meusel, left field; Gardner, first base; McMullin, third base; Bancroft, short stop.

Wow!

PLAYERS FROM NINE LEAGUES.

Fourteen Men from up in the Major Organizations.

Eighteen Coasters Playing Down There.

Lots of Class to the Game These Days.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CALEXICO, Dec. 26.—Nine leagues are represented by the players in the Imperial Valley League, which has the distinction of being one of the few real winter leagues and the only one whose games are played below sea level.

Fourteen big-leaguers are scattered among three of the clubs, while the fourth, Imperial, is made up exclusively of Coasters. El Centro is leading the race, with Calexico and Imperial tied around second position and Brawley, until a few days ago made up exclusively of easterners, in the cellar. The race, which opened in November, has still over two full months to run.

ON TWO TEAMS.

The majority of the eighteen Coast defenders wintering in the valley are on the payrolls of the Imperial and Calexico teams. Arbogast of Oakland is generalissimo of the Imperial forces and Dick Bayless of the Tigers is the big boss of the border men. Both showed partiality for home talent.

Of the majors, there are eight American League players and six Nationals. The International circuit is represented by three players on the Brawley team, the Southern by two infielders and the Northwestern, Texas and Three I leagues each has one among those present.

GOOD MONEY.

The stipend drawn down by the players is not staggering, yet it is more than a shade better than the emoluments of players' usual winter work. But two games a week are played and the climate and fair hunting are added attractions.

At the first of the season a few of the players exerted themselves just about enough to "get by," but largely by the example of other players rather than outside pressure they soon mended their play and now each game is attended by a fine competitive spirit and the fans are getting the real stuff. Attendance is picking up and the backers of the teams are becoming imbued with an enthusiastic optimism. Already plans for next year are beginning to be discussed.

SOME IDEA.

When Hen Berry was down here he suggested that an arrangements be made with four big league magnates whereby each would take over the management of a local club and pit their flock of recruits against those of the others for winter training and observation. He pointed out that the recruits would be the cream of the minors and, fighting for a place, would put up a classy sort of ball. Berry thought the deal could be put through and talked it over with a few managers and directors, but nothing yet has been done in that direction.

Berry probably had an eye on his box office when he made the suggestion. He doesn't cotton up to the idea of his men playing winter ball, especially so close to home. He would like to have baseball dead in the winter and come out of its hibernation in the spring with a mighty burst that would shake the ducats out of the fans' pockets, which is good business.

CHESS NOTES.

Joseph H. Keys of Redlands scored against O. E. Frazier of Los Angeles in the "Statu Quo" correspondence tournament by using the unfrequent, but always interesting Lange attack. Students will find some interest in determining where the conductor of the black forces failed to maintain the advantage claimed for him by the books.

MAX LANGE ATTACK.

Keys. White.	Frazier. Black.
1P-K4	P-K4
2P-Q4	PxP
3Kt-KB3	Kt-QB3
4B-QB4	B-QB4
5Castles	P-Q3
6P-QB3	B-KKt5
7Q-Kt3	Q-Q2
8BxPch	K-B
9BxKt	RxB
10Kt-Kt5	P-KR3
11P-B3	PxPch
12K-R	B-R4
13Kt-K6ch	K-K2
14KtxB	PxKt
15KtxP	P-QKt3
16Kt-Q5ch	Resigns

VALLEY LEAGUE PLAYERS AND THEIR HOME TEAMS.

BELOW is the register of players in the Valley League. Gipe, credited to the Giants, was with Seattle last year; Alexander, to the St. Louis Americans, was with Oakland, and Bancroft, who goes up to the Athletics, was with Portland, Or.

	IMPERIAL.	CALEXICO	EL CENTRO	BRAWLEY.
Catcher—	Clarence Brooks Los Angeles	Walter Schmidt San Francisco	Walter Alexander St. Louis Amer.	Mickey La Longe Buffalo Inter.
First Base—	C. P. Arbogast Oakland	Alva Williams Wash. Amer.	"Rube" Gardner Oakland	Gus Gleichmann Baltimore Inter.
Second Base—	Jerry Downs San Francisco	Tom Downey Kansas City A.A.	Carl Flick New Orleans, So.	Bill Page Los Angeles
Third Base—	Gus Hetling Venice	Ed Foster Wash. Amer.	Fred McMullen Detroit Amer.	"Dolly" Stark Memphis, So.
Short Stop—	Roy Corhan San Francisco	Franz Hosp Venice	Dave. Bancroft Phila. Nat.	Johnny Butler Tacoma, N.W.
Right Field—	Teddy Kaylor Oakland	Louis Litschi Oakland	Rudy Baerwald Galveston, Tex.	Bert Graham Danville, Three I
Center Field—	Harl Maggert Los Angeles	Dick Bayless Venice	Johnny Bassler Cleveland Amer.	Bert Daniels Cincinnati Nat.
Left Field—	Rox Middleton Oakland	Joe Wilhoit Venice	"Irish" Muesel Wash. Amer.	Beals Becker Phila. Nat.
Pitchers—	Jack Ryan Los Angeles	Jimmy Scott Chicago Amer.	Irv. Kantlehner Pittsburgh Nat.	L. Baeder Buffalo Inter.
	Chas. Fanning San Francisco	"Lefty" Williams Salt Lake City	Alvah Gipe New York Nat.	L. McCarthy Brooklyn Nat.
		Guy Gregg, St. Louis Amer.		Catcher and sub.

Yesterday's Battles.

GREGG SLAMS OUT A HOMER.

CALEXICO WALLOPS BRAWLEY AFTER A FIERCE SLUGFEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CALEXICO, Dec. 27.—Brawley opposed the locals today and returned home with the short end of a 7-to-5 score. Calexico's victory, coupled with El Centro's defeat of Imperial today, ties Calexico and Imperial for second place.

Today's game was a slugfest. Gregg and Willis were each touched up for nine hits, but the willow work of the bordermen was good for fifteen extra bases. Williams, who brought in three of Calexico's tallies, and Downey both reached first on errors in the fourth. Litschi slammed a two-bagger against the fence, scoring Williams. Gregg then came to the plate, his bat came in contact with one of Willis's shoots and the ball rolled to the center field fence. When it was retrieved the big pitcher had made his first circuit of the season, Downey preceding him.

Next inning Dick Bayless plucked a two sacker and was scored by Williams's hit. In the seventh Williams hit again and Hosp slugged out a triple.

Schmidt was out of the game with a bad finger, and Calexico's line-up was switched as a result.

The score:

CALEXICO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Wilhoit, lf	5	0	2	2	0	0
Foster, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	1
Bayless, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Williams, c	4	3	2	7	4	0
Downey, 2b	2	1	0	1	0	1
Litschi, ss	3	1	1	4	1	0
Hosp, 1b	3	0	1	9	2	0
Dean, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gregg, p	3	1	2	2	2	0
Totals	29	7	9	27	11	2

BRAWLEY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Daniels, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Stark, ss	4	1	0	0	0	1
Page, 2b	5	1	3	2	2	0
Becker, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Graham, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Gleichman, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	1
Butler, ss	4	0	0	3	2	0
La Longe, c	4	1	1	4	1	0
Willis, p	4	1	2	0	4	0
Totals	35	5	9	24	9	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Calexico	0	0	0	4	2	0	1	0	x	—7
Base hits	1	0	0	3	2	1	2	0	x	—9
Brawley	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—5
Base hits	1	3	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	—9

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Brawley, 2; Calexico, 3. Three-base hits—La Longe, Hosp. Two-base hits—Wilhoit, 2; Page, Litschi, Bayless. Home run—Gregg. Struck out—By Gregg, 7; by Willis, 5. Bases on balls—Off Gregg, 3; off Willis, 3.

WANDERERS WIN OVER FORESTERS.

A HARD FOUGHT-OUT CONTEST AT SOCCER FOOTBALL IN EXPOSITION PARK.

A friendly match at soccer football between the Wanderers and Foresters resulted in victory for the former by 5 points to 1, after a spirited contest yesterday afternoon at Exposition Park. Open and brilliant play attracted a large share of the park visitors to the field boundaries and held them until close of day.

JACK RYAN IS AGAIN BEATEN.

KANTLEHNER HAS TOO MUCH FOR IMPERIAD GANG.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 27.—Kantlehner for El Centro had everything today and the locals won easily from Imperial, 6 to 1. Downs for the visitors was out of the game and Jess Stovall covered first sack, making his first appearance in a uniform in weeks. Ryan was wild and was rapped freely.

EL CENTRO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
MacMullen, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Bancroft, ss	5	2	2	3	1	0
Bassler, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Baerwald, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Gardner, 1b	3	0	1	11	0	0
Alexander, c	3	2	1	8	2	0
Gipe, lf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Flick, 2b	2	0	1	0	3	1
Kantlehner, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	6	9	27	11	1

IMPERIAL.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Middleton, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Corhan, ss	4	0	1	1	1	0
Maggert, cf	4	1	1	5	0	0
Brooks, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Hetling, 3b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Arbogast, 1b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Kaylor, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Stovall, 1b	3	0	0	6	1	1
Ryan, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	29	1	3	24	8	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
El Centro	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	x	—6
Imperial	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—El Centro, 3. Bases on balls—Off Kantlehner, 2; off Ryan, 6. Left on bases—El Centro, 9; Imperial, 5. Wild pitch—Ryan. First base on errors—Imperial, 2. Two-base hits—Alexander, Gipe, 2; Baerwald. Home run—Bancroft. Struck out—By Kantlehner, 8; by Ryan, 3.

Burman Had More Speed

(Continued from First Page.)

speed fans, who had probably cheered him in many a fast race. The timing gears in the Fiat were hopelessly wrecked.

After a short consultation, it was announced that the race would positively take place. Earl Cooper's Stutz, Arthur Klein's King racer and one of George Bentel's fast red Mercers were all out at the track. Barney went over and looked at the Stutz and Earl Cooper showed his sporting blood by offering the machine to Barney.

GETTING READY.

There was a quick change of tires, oil and gasoline, while Kline drove his King around the track in an exhibition, and Eddie Rickenbacher entertained the crowds with the baby Peugeot.

Oldfield drove one practice lap in the Stutz and then wheeled to the wire for the start.

It was agreed that if either car went out in the first five miles, the race was to be stopped and the unfortunate driver was to take Klein's King racer, which was held in reserve at the pits.

FAST START.

The Stutz had a better getaway than the Fiat or even the Peugot. Barney led Burman into the first turn. There were cheers for Barney again and from then on through the fifty miles of dust and speed, the master driver held his popularity.

While Oldfield outdrove Burman on the turns, the Peugeot pilot made up the loss on the straightaways, where his fast car could be let out. For five miles, Burman led to the tape on each round by a few yards.

SPEED.

The first five miles were done in 3m. 40s., and the first ten miles were covered in 9m. 14s.

Barney, holding the pole, led Burman through both curves on the tenth lap and finished in the lead for the first time in the ten laps. The eleventh was a dead heat and the twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth brought out the most spectacular work on Barney's part. The Stutz pilot was holding the car to the pole and gaining many yards on each turn, which were only lost again on the straightaways.

At the start with the Fiat, Barney, like Burman, carried no mechanic, but on the Stutz George Hill occupied the mechanic's seat to hold the heavy car down on the curves. The dust began to raise on the track in the fifteenth lap and developed into a gray cloud on each turn before the race was half over.

IN THE LEAD.

Oldfield jumped into the lead on the first straightaway of the seventeenth lap and held it for two circuits of the course, being passed again by Burman in the twentieth. The drivers held about even up to the twenty-eighth lap. Burman had the speed on the stretches, but Oldfield's work on the curves held the Stutz up close.

On the twenty-eighth the Peugeot picked up a nail in one of her tires and Burman lost seventeen seconds making the change. When he got out on the course again Barney had more than a lap on him.

It was then that the race started. Lap after lap Barney reeled off the mile in fifty-four seconds, and on each mile Burman made up just about two seconds.

CATCHING UP.

For fifteen laps Burman averaged fifty-two seconds to the lap. The half mile was cut to a quarter, then to an eighth. The drivers were in the stretch together and in another lap the Peugeot passed into the lead on the first turn of the forty-fifth round.

The dust was heavy and on each turn Oldfield would throw up an artificial sandstorm which Burman had to fight through. Time and again the speed king would lean well out to the side and hug the fence to keep out of the dust as much as possible; but on every turn he gained.

There was nothing to hold back for. He wanted the race and there was but one way to get it—speed.

ALL BURMAN.

From the forty-fifth lap to the finish it was all Burman, but there was always the chance for a mishap. A tire change or the least miss in the engine would cost the race. Burman got a safe lead and held it, gaining a few yards each time, but not taking the desperate chances that characterized his dust-eating exhibition while Oldfield had the long lead.

Not only did Barney lose the fifty-mile championship, but he suffered a painful injury as well. After the race he jumped over the rail fence to get into his touring car and fell, severely spraining his ankle, and he was taken to his home, where his swelled ankle was treated by a physician.

FERGUSON LOST A GOOD FRIEND.

WHEN BERRY WENT NORTH HE LOST THE MAN WHO HELPED HIM.

Andy Ferguson has lost one of his best friends in the transfer of Henry Berry's interests from Los Angeles to San Francisco. Ferguson, who is the assistant secretary of the Los Angeles club, owes much to Berry. Berry not only created the position of assistant secretary for his benefit, but presented him with the tables and other fixtures for his pocket billiard emporium. And a few days prior to his purchase of the Seals, Berry slipped him a check for $100 just for old times' sake. Ferguson, while swearing allegiance to his new boss, doubtless regrets Berry's departure.

Low Scores.

GOLFERS ON MUNICIPAL LINKS DEVELOP ABILITY.

BY HOWARD W. ANGUS.

THE municipal golf course of Griffith Park is at its fastest now. The natural grass has sprouted through the grounds since the rain, covering the links with a velvet, green mantel; the grass is not long enough to clog the progress of the ball. When it lands on the drives it slips along as if on ice. The golfers got into difficulty yesterday not on the smooth, green approaches, but on the rough oil "greens."

"It will never be any faster than it is today," said C. H. Worthon, the "big boss," yesterday. "In a week the grass will be tall enough to cut and the ball will not roll. In the summer, when the grass is dead, the ground gets dry and sandy. That will slow the course up then."

The more experienced of the 250 golfers were rounding the eighteen holes yesterday in 85 to 90 strokes. Of course the many novices were making a mess of their play. They were driving into the natural bunkers, getting clogged on the natural hazards and rolling all over the "greens"—in every direction except in that of the hole. To them a 100 looked like a feat for an Alladin.

The lowest score that was reported was 78. The caretaker said that he was quite certain that lower scores were made. According to him, an expert could make the round in 71, which is par, without wrinkling his brow.

The golfers did not get tangled up, in spite of the large number. Nobody was held back. Two alterations have solved the traffic problem. The row of cypress trees in front of No. 2 have been trimmed and the brush underneath cleared away. Instead of the balls getting lost they sail through them. The tee for No. 3 has been moved so that it keeps those "going out" from driving into those "coming in" on No. 16.

The unemployed that the city has put to work at Griffith Park will solve the problem of taking care of the course and putting it in the best of shape. As soon as Worthon can spare them on the roads he will have them pulling out the horehound and sagebrush that are cropping up again.

"We are fortunate this year," he said, "in having intelligent and willing workers among these men. They go ahead and do the work as it should be done—thoroughly. We have had men in past years who would have done more damage than good."

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ALL-NATIONALS GET THE HONOR.

WALLOP AMERICANS IN FINAL GAME OF THEIR TOUR IN SAN DIEGO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 27.—A fast game marked the close this afternoon here of the exhibition baseball tour of the All-American and All-National teams. By a score of 1 to 0 the Nationals annexed the final contest, the only run of the game being scored in the last of the ninth.

The game was much of a pitcher's battle between Alexander and Bush. Each gave only five hits and their work was well supported although the Americans slid into the error column twice in the closing innings.

After two were down in the last half of the closing frame Fletcher was given a life when McAvoy dropped his hit to right. Fletcher attempted to purloin the keystone sack and Boone put the sphere on him, but before the decision was Boone dropped the ball. was safe. Bryne then hit left and Fletcher cantered the winning run.

The game closed a trip the teams to many cities and to the Hawaiian Islands fifty-four games played, won the edge by two teams disbanded here game.

The score:

All-Nationals, 1; hits,

All-Americans, 0; hits,

Batteries: Alexander and Bush and Henry.

Max Snyder, a Minneapolis promoter, plans to hold ten pin tourney to compete at the San Francisco Exposition tourney next year. to get 100 experts charge of $5 each.

Memphis will southern handicap nament in April of conduct the Grand August, St. Louis San Diego the Pacific

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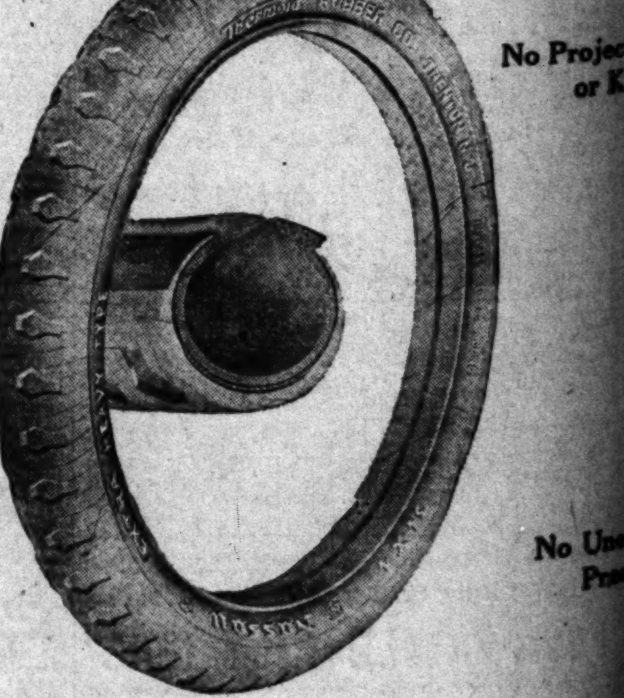

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BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Captain of the Annandale golf ..., champion of the club, a star ... on easy intimacy with par, but ...-headed maidens and cold weather ... lay him low.

The girls have to be really red, ... carroty, before they can ... their disconcerting, sinister ..., but when such a one crosses ... path of N. P. Mears on his way ... links he knows the day holds ... triumph for him.

ILL OMEN.

... is to him a more serious omen ... luck than crows, hunchbacks, ...-eyed boys, rats, falling pictures, ... horses, spilt salt, broken mir... or any of the other hundred and ... evil spirits that haunt man. And ... specially golfers. Every bad fairy ... ever lived takes a special delight ... bedeviling golfers. What the poor ... go through seeking charms ... these malign pixies, none but ... victims can guess.

... Mears doesn't really disapprove ... red-headed girls. But what cares ... how nice they be if they be not ... to he? Something in their aura ... out to him and unmans him. ... eye loses its erstwhile accuracy ... putting, his hand loses its steadi... his heart—but, of course, golf... haven't any hearts worth men..., as any golf widow will af-...

TWO FATES.

... opponent of Nat Mears in a ... tournament prays for the ad... of carrotty-headed maidens. Or ... weather. For a cold day also ... deleterious effect upon the star's ... He feels that hades itself holds ... terrors against his skill, but a ... breeze from the north plays ... with his most confident shots. ... jigger, wherewith he is wont to ... that unerring putt fails him as ... temperature drops. He might as ... try to achieve it with a broom-...

... was when red-headed men ... the same effect, but this part of ... hoodoo was vanquished once and ... all when, two years ago, he suc... in defeating Ab French by 4 ... and 3, after having been 4 down ... turn.

GREAT STUFF.

... he regards as the most sat... match he ever played. That ... a turning point in his golf-career. It was an achievement ... par with laying the family ghost. ... year he defeated Armstrong and ... the club championship from ... besides distinguishing himself in ... invitation tournaments. He ... cups by the dozen.

... Mears returned from his six ... exile on his apple ranch up ... a week ago and was promptly ... captain. Each year he is ... to forego golf for six ..., and it would seem to be a ... good recipe for improving ... game. For each year he re... to evince greater skill in the ... He started out with consistent ... in the vicinity of par and ... the round robin qualifying ... on Christmas Day with a 74, ... included a lordly 2 at the ...teenth. By the way, in these ... of woeful exchequers it is worth ... recording that apples obviously ...

SOME OUTFIT.

... another thing is to be noted ... Nat Mears. He has provided ... with knee breeches and golf ... Hitherto he has always ... in trousers. The golf stocking ... California is to the golfer what ... the veil" is to the nun. It ... that the time for serious ... has arrived.

There is a later phase when the es... star of many seasons re... to trousers—like Norman Mac... sort of indication that one ... reached the place where one is ... the necessity for outward in... Jack Jevne took to golf ... last year.

... embryo golfers take to them ... with precipitate enthusi... but the man who steadily im... his game, the comer who will ... is he who tentatively awaits ... of grace which go with ... increasing skill. His adop... of golf stockings marks a cer... growing self-confidence.

HIS GANG.

... Mears has selected his team. ... French, H. N. Wright, Craney ... E. Jewett, W. H. Cornett, Horace T. Major, Frank D. Tatum and Paul F. Deiss. The last three places will probably vary a little. He declares that Annandale is particularly strong in that she is blessed with a splendid contingent of good putters, and it is an old axiom that the matches are won and lost on the greens. French, in overcoming the temperamental vagaries of his own red head, has become a fine putter. Wright has always been strong in the short game. Craney Gartz has returned from Chicago with a markedly improved game in which putting plays a worthy part.

Jewett, Biggar and Cornett have always excelled in this department. Horace Major is something of an unknown quantity, notwithstanding Neville of the Pacific Coast Golf Magazine places him among the thirty-two elect on the Coast. Major gives an impression of skill hampered by a certain nervousness.

VERY STEADY.

Mears himself plays a peculiarly steady game for a young man. He is a good all-round golfer, equally at home with all his clubs. And now he has completely lost his slice. That had been his chief handicap, a persistent tendency to send his drive flying to the right. He seems to have conquered that by absent treatment, for his six months away from a golf course has achieved the miracle. His favorite club is perhaps his jigger, which he uses continually in preference to a mashie.

Yesterday they played a keen foursome on the San Gabriel links. It had been scheduled for last Sunday at Midwick, but after a courageous effort to play in the blinding rain they declared the weather the winner. Mears and Gartz were challenging French and George Cline of San Gabriel in a 36-hole match. But they got beat 2 up and 1.

CLASS.

Ab French had a wonderful round of 72 in the morning, a score that stood as the record for the course until Bacon broke it with a 70 two weeks ago. Cline, Mears and Gartz could not come anywhere near such championship golf, and their 78's, which in normal times would have been considered very creditable, looked quite mediocre. But Gartz and Mears managed to win two holes back in the afternoon round; they had stood four down when they repaired for lunch. It was certainly a star foursome and these players will figure prominently in this season's golf.

Over at the Midwick several more matches have been played off in the tournament, the most notable being that in which E. R. Williams defeated Hugo Johnstone 2 up and 1.

N. P. Mears.
Captain of the Annandale golf team.

JIM FLYNN BEAT ONE ROUND DAVIS.

BIG FIREMAN KNOCKS OUT HIS OPPONENT IN SEVEN ROUNDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Dec. 26.—Fireman Jim Flynn knocked out George ("One Round") Davis of Buffalo in the seventh round of a ten-round match here tonight. Flynn weighed 186, Davis 185. Davis took the count of nine four times in the first round.

Hit Hard.

COAST LEAGUE LOSSES APPROXIMATED $200,000.

Failure of California State League and Erection of Two Plants that Proved Failures, Coupled with a Bad Season, Hit the Organization Hard—Poor Ball Hurt Attendance.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

THE Coast League looms up as the Bat Nelson of organized baseball in the matter of assimilating punishment.

There is one point of difference, however. Bat has been licked repeatedly, while the Coasters have yet to go down for the count.

The league has received some awful jolts, been sent to its knees several times, as it were, but it always came back and finished strong.

It tottered when Fresno and Tacoma proved unable to shoulder the financial burden of supporting high-class baseball, blowing a couple of large holes in the circuit.

The San Francisco fire and earthquake was a jolt which figured to kill any league outright, but the Coasters finished the season. It was saved by the money of J. Cal Ewing and Henry Berry. These men tided the league over that period of stress. Both have since been rewarded handsomely, but they took worse than a gambler's chance. With the bay district in ruins, it did not look like there would be a dollar's profit in baseball on the Coast for years to come.

And now the league has emerged from the third "bad year" of its career. The old ship was badly buffeted on the sea of financial reverses during the season just past, but came through on an even keel and has steadied nicely for the 1915 season, which promises to be the best of its career.

Out of the reverses of 1914 has grown a better, a reformed and a stronger league.

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Just how severely the league was hit in the region of the exchequer, has never been given out officially, but nothing less than six figures will cover its losses.

Not a team in the circuit made a dime on the season's play, while there were some who finished in the hole.

Ewing Park in San Francisco, erected at a cost of $100,000, and the Venice plant, which stood Maier $50,000, were worse than useless investments. Games played in these parks presented an actual loss to the league, to say nothing of the original investment. One of these parks has already been abandoned, and official announcement is expected any day that the Venice plant is to be vacated, and the club brought back to Vernon. The Venice plant may be torn down and re-erected at Vernon, and possibly in years to come, the material at Ewing Field may be used in the construction of a park elsewhere. Even should these things come to pass, the "salvage" probably would not amount to more than 25 per cent. on the original investment. Assuming that this much can be saved out of the wreck of the two parks, the total loss will be $112,000.

Just how heavily Sacramento suffered on the season's play has not been given out. Jacobs is reported to have lost $12,000. Some say that Wolverton lost everything; others that he had but little of his own money invested.

The other club owners were forced to meet the pay roll and assessments of the Sacramento club for the last two or three months. This is believed to have cost the league from $15,000 to $20,000.

It is safe to say that Sacramento's total losses for the season exceeded by at least $10,000 the $30,000 received from Salt Lake for the players and franchise.

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The failure of the California League, which was backed by the Coasters in an effort to develop young talent, was another of several severe jolts received in 1914. There is nothing but "red ink" to show for this experiment. Maier, Ewing, Berry and Stephens dropped $45,000 in this venture.

The individual losses of those clubs which did not manage to wiggle through with an even break, probably will not be known, as the Coasters never have been in a habit of publicly wailing their woes, but they were sufficient to materially increase the snug little sum of $167,000 already shown to have been written on the losing side of the ledger.

Added to the other horrors of war, such as topheavy salary rolls, there was a sudden abstention from baseball on the part of the fans, and a resultant fall in the attendance. The season started fairly well, but conditions existed which made it impossible for the managers to enforce even a semblance of discipline, with the result that the grand old pastime became a thing of horror. Consequently, many fans who started the season with the best of intentions were by the middle of July receiving their baseball by the R.F.D.

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Ewing Field was worse than a frost—it was a freeze. San Francisco, if not the backbone of the league, is an important vertebra in its financial spine. At least it was so regarded before last season. The receipts there dwindled until they looked like a couple of mustard seeds viewed through the small end of a telescope. One of the southern clubs toward the end of the season took away with it less than $200 as its share of the series. This team's expenses could not have been much less than $300 a day on the road.

So it is perfectly clear that there was a sad crimp placed in the league's exchequer. In the absence of official figures, $200,000 would seem to be a fairly safe guess as to the losses suffered in one way and another during 1914. This may overshoot the mark by a few thousand, or it may be a bit low, but is sufficiently close to give a fairly accurate glimpse of baseball's seamy side.

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ROY "RHINO" HITT CAN SMELL 'EM A BLOCK AWAY.

Contrary to expectations, Rhino Hitt's 1915 contract does not contain a "non-weinerwurst clause."

The omission of this is believed to be one of the concessions made to him for turning down the Feds and remaining on the Coast.

Rhino is a slave of the "hot dog" habit. His friends have just about given up all hope of reforming him. Most of his surplus earnings go to the sandwich baron who peddles his steaming wares at the ball park each season.

Before each game he generally wrapped himself around two or three smoking weinerwursts. During the contest he would sit on the bench and dream of "hot dogs" and sniff the aroma of the same as it was wafted to him across the open space from one of the distant bleachers. The finish of the game would find him crouched to spring upon another defenseless sandwich or two.

With a favorable wind, Rhino can sit on the bench at the ball park and detect a weinerwurst in the process of being cooked at the corner of Washington and Main, doing so solely by the sense of smell. This is as keenly developed in him as in the bloodhound which trails the desperate criminal across the trackless wastes. It is a pleasure to see Rhino take up the scent of a "hot dog" and trail it to its lair.

Johnny Kane says that when he gets through playing ball he is going to start a "hot dog" emporium right across the street from Hitt's home. In that way he expects to get all of Rhino's money.

Whenever the sandwich man at the park gets around on the windward of Rhino, he begins to sniff automatically. This gets on the nerves of the players. One particularly hot day last summer, the sandwich merchant drew near and Rhino's sniffing increased alarmingly. He suddenly broke out in a volley of violent, rapid, jerky sniffs.

"Hey, cut that out," yelled Rube Evans from across the lot. "You are using up all the air in the place, and the rest of us are suffocating."

Because of these constant annoyances, Hitt's team-mates suggested that a "non-weinerwurst" clause be placed in his 1915 contract. This was to provide that he should neither sniff nor eat "hot dogs" during the game. Hitt heard of the plot, and it is regarded as significant that he announced three days later that he had received a big offer from the Feds. Hogan had no trouble in clearing the matter up. Rhino was to be allowed to sniff and eat his way through life as he saw fit. Right there the Feds lost out.

During the 1915 baseball season in the American and National Leagues umpires will be required to deliver the official batting order to the official scorer before the games begin.

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Which of these Lovely Damsels is the California Girl?

Nellie Preston.

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Margaret Houck.

Genevieve Robay.

Mr. Joseph Santley, playing the leading role in "When Dreams Come True," at the Majestic Theater, will leave the company after a fortnight to go on the Orpheum Circuit.

Mr. Santley is some little dancer, and has "written" a lot of new dances which he will air on the vaudeville circuit.

Following which, Mr. Santley, though only 21 years old, is going to become an author, and, with Glen MacDonough, will write a musical revue around a very unique theme which he desires kept out of print at this time.

"The thing is to be perpetrated in Chicago," explained Mr. Santley.

"I don't believe in people having too much money," said Mr. Santley, "that is, to begin with. Anyhow, not actors. I think it's good for us to have to walk the ties some and to have a speaking acquaintance with a lot of sheriffs. It develops character and dependence on one's self. I've counted a large number of ties, and I had quite a following of sheriffs at one time.

Early Start.

"I went on the stage when I was three years old, in meller-drammer, playing the kerosene circuit with father and mother. Don't remember much about that first act of mine, except that I had to climb into a boat behind a painted ocean foot-border. One night I kicked the ocean over and showed the boat on wheels. That is the first time I remember getting any applause but none of it came from mother and father.

I remember one particularly awful season when we played one-night stands down South, sometimes in tiny halls without much scenery and no orchestra. The inhabitants used to bring all their children and dogs, and one night there was a dog fight that broke up the show.

"Hard sailing in those days, but I always worked, worked, worked. And once I won my way on Broadway things went easier. But I know it was a big help, all those hard knocks, and that I'm better off for them now."

On the Move.

The Masterpiece company, with Max Figman, leading man and head director, has removed from its Bunker Hill-avenue studio to a large site in Hollywood, where a big stage is being built along with adequate dressing-rooms, developing department and offices.

Queer Present.

"Prince" Sherry, one of the leading men at Inceville, got a queer one in his stocking on Christmas.

Mr. Sherry performed some service for one of the Barnes' Circus people, wintering in Venice, and to show his deep gratitude the man gave Mr. Sherry a baby elephant!

"It's a very nice elephant," said Mr. Sherry, with deep feeling, "only that there seems to be no place in my household appointments in which an elephant exactly fits. He seems, as it were, de trop almost anyway you can fix it. There isn't a member of my household that had ever felt the slightest hankering for an elephant. They all say they believe they could worry along without an elephant in the house from one year's end to another if they had to. He's a snugglin' cuss, too, and wants to climb up into my lap. I don't see anything for it but I'll have to quit the picture business and go out on the road and do stunts with him, and let him pass the hat for a living."

Some Scream.

"Oh, yes, I can scream," said Beatrice Nichols, who made the hit of her fair young life in "Baby Mine," yesterday. "There's a lot of it in this piece, and I'm glad it's one of my specialties. Where did I learn how? In 'The Sign of the Cross' when I played the part of the boy, Stephanus. I told my manager than I simply couldn't scream, it just wouldn't come. He told me that screams were my principal lines, and I'd have to leave if I couldn't do them. It sounded ghastly to me, that first little piping scream; but by and by I got so I could scream artistically, and now I do it pretty well, don't you think?"

Early Career.

Leonie Dana, 16-year-old celebrity, who plays a child of 8 in "The Poor Little Rich Girl" at the Mason this week, has been on the stage since she was 2 years old. She first appeared in Los Angeles with William Faversham, as little Hal, child of an English nobleman and an American Indian girl, in "The Squaw Man."

Season Tickets.

The sale of season tickets for the three-weeks' engagement of the National Grand Opera Company at Clune's Auditorium will open at the box office of that playhouse at 9 o'clock this morning.

Haw, Haw, Haw.

Joseph Montrose, manager of the Majestic Theater, says never play pool with a magician. He's got too much on you.

Mr. Montrose and Bosco played a friendly game of fifty, the other night, and toward the close, when Mr. Montrose had only two to make and Bosco three, the magician just naturally produced three balls from thin air, and Mr. Montrose says he, Montrose, is gasping yet!

TUESDAY WILL END CONTEST.

Answers in the California girl contest must be in the Times office by 6 o'clock p.m., Tuesday.

The writer of the brightest answer which correctly identifies the one California girl will receive tickets for a box containing six seats at a performance of "The Poor Little Rich Girl," running at the Mason this week. Second best answer receives four seats, and eight next in order of merit receive two tickets each.

Answers may be in verse or prose, with not more than twenty lines of verse, if such be the medium chosen; or not over 150 words, if in prose.

SCHAFER SHINES IN SOCCER GAME.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE HOLD UNITEDS TO 0-TO-0 DRAW. GOAL KEEPER CAUSE.

The Sons of St. George surprised the soccer fans yesterday at Manual Arts by holding the strong Uniteds to a 0-to-0 draw.

The reason for it was the St. George fullback. He was Capt.-elect Schafer of the University of California, who is here for his Christmas vacation. He strolled out to Manual to fill in.

The United forwards were ever rushing upon the Sons of St. George's goal. Shot after shot they took at the goal. But Schafer was always there to stop them. Once he blocked a penalty kick. He was especially clever at fisting the ball, pounding it out with his hand.

Once on a corner kick he slipped and fell his 6 ft. 2 in. length. As he sprawled he stretched out his long arm and hit back the ball.

His presence gave strength to the players on his team. The other backs played well.

The game was a fight between the United forwards and the St. George defense. The ball was rarely in United territory.

For the Uniteds "Red" Brown played the strongest game. With the exception of Schafer he was the best player on the field.

This is the second game that the Uniteds have failed to score in. The Rangers defeated them a week ago, 4-to-0.

Babies in Ashanti.

[London Standard:] When children are born in Ashanti they are at once rubbed all over with a mixture of oil and red ochre, this being repeated every two days. Their mouths are washed with a fiery concoction in which red pepper is the main ingredient, and a crier goes through the town proclaiming the new arrival and claiming for it a name and place among the living.

Some one else in a distant part of the village acknowledges the fact and promises, on the part of the people, that the newborn babe shall be received into the community. The townspeople then assemble in the streets and the baby is brought out and exposed to view.

Next a basin of water is provided and the head man, or chief of the town, sprinkles water upon it, leaving it a name and invoking a blessing upon it, such as, for instance, that it may have health, grow up to manhood or womanhood, have a numerous progeny and possess riches.

Most of those present follow the example of the head man, and the poor child is thoroughly drenched before the ceremony is ended. Every one who participates in the ceremony pledges himself to be a friend to the child.

Susanne Rowe.

Which is she?

These girls are in the cast of the "Poor Little Rich Girl" company which opens tonight at the Mason Operahouse. One of the girls was born in California. For the most cleverly-written correct answer the writer will receive tickets for a box containing six seats. The writer of the next best answer will receive four tickets for orchestra seats. Eight other prizes of two seats each will be given.

May Be His Own Scout.

(Continued from First Page.)

in February. It is expected that the squad will again work out at Boyes Springs. The team has its own grounds there, while the springs offer first-class facilities for boiling out the accumulated corruption.

Arthur Tomason, outfielder of the Omaha club, stands a good chance of being a Seal in 1915. This bird has been highly recommended to Berry. Jack Thomas, who formerly played with Tomason in the Western League, opines that he is fast enough for this circuit.

This estimate of the player is confirmed by Frank Isbell, president of the Des Moines club. Isbell likens him to "Roxy" Middleton of the Oaks. Tomason is said to be slightly the better hitter of the two, while Middleton has a shade when it comes to covering ground.

NOT SO.

The announcement that Doc White has quit pitching and will try himself out at first base for the Tigers was construed as meaning that Maier and Hogan had given up all hope of Babe Borton repenting.

This seems not to be entirely the truth.

Hopes are still entertained for the return of Borton. Jack Bliss, who is even now supposed to be on his way to St. Looey, has been empowered to drop off at St. Joe and find out what ails Babe that he should quit his old pals.

Borton is claimed by the Feds, and is generally conceded to have signed with them. In doing so he acted in some haste, and this left him ample time to become penitent, it is figured. Probably he and others who took this step, experience occasional tremors of uneasiness since Walter Johnson became seized with a sudden panic and rushed back into organized baseball.

Although expecting much help from the Chicago White Sox, Hogan is not overlooking anything elsewhere, as indicated by his effort to buy Pitcher Le Roy from Indianapolis.

Harry Hinchman, second baseman of the St. Paul club, is another American Association player who has been highly recommended to him.

Elmer Rieger is authority for the statement that Hinchman is the best hit-and-run man outside of the majors. He also is a great straight-away swatter, and hits .300 right along just as easy as that. Although not exceptionally speedy, he has as good use of his feet as the average human being weighing 200 pounds.

NOT SETTLED.

No selection has been made as yet of a training ground for the Tigers. They trained at Washington Park last spring, but it is now the Angels' turn to frolic there. Two years ago the Tigers tried the experiment of working at Venice, but found the mornings a bit too cool, and after accumulating an assorted collection of stiff joints came back to the city, using the Y.M.C.A. grounds.

Maier expects to arrange exhibition games for his team with the White Sox at San Diego, Oxnard, Ventura, Santa Barbara and other points.

President Darmody intends to send out his contracts sometime this week. He has not yet decided on the opening date for spring training, but the chances are that it will be before March 1, or about a week earlier than heretofore. He expects at least to get the pitchers away to an early start, as he wants them to be in good shape for the White Sox series.

At the present rate of progress most of the Coast Leaguers will soon be enrolled in the Players' Fraternity. Those who have joined within the past two weeks are Abstein, Brooks, Ehmke, Harper, Love, Metzger, Meek, Page, Perritt, Jack Ryan, Chech, Bancroft, Doane, Kores, Krause, Lober, Martinoni, Rieger, Speas, Yantz and Wilhoit. Bayless, Boles and Bliss are the league's representatives on the board of directors.

One More Chance.

YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY TO PICK OUT THE GIRL.

TODAY The Times publishes in a single group the pictures of the six winsome young women, whose features may be perused by its readers with pleasure and profit, because one of of them is a California girl, all are good to look upon, and a correct choice of the one California girl among them will yield tickets to the Mason Theater for a performance of "The Poor Litle Rich Girl," which opens there tonight for a season of two weeks.

Answers may be written in either prose or verse, and all must be in The Times office by 6 o'clock tomorrow, Tuesday evening, the time of closing the contest.

If written in prose, answers must not contain over 150 words; if in verse, not more than twenty lines.

Ten prizes will be awarded correct solvers of the puzzle. The brightest answer will secure six box seats, the second best, four tickets, and the next eight in order of merit, two seats each.

Winners will be announced in Wednesday's issue of The Times.

Address all answers to California Girl Editor, Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles, Cal.

All the Time.

LOTS DOING IN SPORTS OUT AT EXPOSITION PARK.

EXPOSITION PARK playgrounds were well patronized yesterday, tennis courts, basketball and gridirons being filled with players indulging in informal games, though no set matches occurred.

Three baseball games were contested, though but one of them figured in a regular schedule.

Los Angeles team of Knights of Columbus League defeated the team from Santa Monica by eleven runs to five. The local team, apparent league champions, have so far won every game played, and took yesterday's affair without any effort.

An amusing instance of the biter getting bitten occurred in the last inning, when the center-fielder stopped a ball as the batter reached first base. Thinking to fool the runner, the wily fielder turned with ball in hand and chased himself a few steps toward the outer boundary. Taking the bait, the runner started for second—and made it safely on the sharp fielder's overthrow.

Jevne's aggregation shut out the Scrips team with a score of four to nothing. Pitcher Jones of the winning team allowed but two hits, while making the park record of twenty-two strike-outs in nine innings.

Harris and Frank batters knocked out eleven runs to one made by their opponents, the Exposition All-Stars. The latter team was gathered hastily in order to replace the dissolved Exposition Federals, with whom the match had been scheduled by the Harris-Franks.

Some Sluggers.

SAN PEDRO MERCHANTS SWAT THE BALL FREELY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 27.—Earl Waite, pitcher for the Albert Cohn's baseball aggregation, was sent in the box to relieve "Tacks" Lewis in the sixth frame of today's battle between the Los Angeles grocers and the San Pedro merchants' ball club, with the score 7 to 1. Waite succeeded in stopping the batting craze of the local delegation somewhat, but not until they swelled the score to nine runs and won a ragged game, 9 to 3.

A fair attendance viewed today's contest, but owing to the poor game Christmas day the attendance fell off considerably. Two games will take place here next week, one on Friday and Sunday.

Clarence Smith of Portland won his second game this week, beating the Sample Shoe Company's aggregation Friday, and heaving an excellent game today.

Micky Schultz, Carl Sawyer, Nick de Maggo and Eddie Martin are playing sensational ball for the local club.

The San Pedro baseball delegation is one of the fastest semi-pro aggregations in Southern California, inasmuch as Manager Al Hinze has the following professional and semi-professional ball players on the local club's roster: Carl Sawyer, Des Moines, Western League, first base; Micky Schultz, free agent, formerly in the Arizona State League, second base; Eddie Martin, Superior, Northern League, third base; Guy Lindley, Arizona State League, shortstop; Shone Ardiaz, free agent, formerly with Stockton, California State League, left field; Nick de Maggo, free agent, formerly with Butte, Union Association, center field; Babe Jensen, free agent, right field; "Fitz" Fitzgerald, catcher; Clarence Smith, Portland, Pacific Coast League, pitcher; Yturralde and Ruester, utility. Today's score:

	R.	H.	E.
San Pedro	9	11	3
Albert Cohn's	3	6	5

Batteries—Smith and Fitzgerald; Lewis, Waite and Denton. Umpire—Tiger Duffy.

Dook Out, Willie.

FRED HARRIS ENTERS CLUB BOXING TOURNEY.

FRED HARRIS, the little 125-pound boxer hailing from Riverside, has entered the Southern California amateur boxing tournament which is to be held at the Los Angeles Athletic Club January 12-13. He will be remembered as the youngster who made such a good showing in the Pacific Coast tournament held last March, at which time he took second place in a field of over twenty, after battling uphill in almost every instance. He won the hearts of the fans by his gritty methods and remarkable stamina.

He is expected to give Willie Hunefeld, the little L.A.A.C. star, a rough passage for first honors and according to the present dope, the honors seem to rest between this pair. Of course there may be some dark horse horning into limelight, but the stars always have to take this chance.

The L.A.A.C. boxers are working hard at the present time and next week several tryout bouts will be staged under the direction of Van Court and Clark Jargstorff. The club expects to enter fifteen men in the various classes of the tournament and these tryouts are being held in order to arrange the boys in the proper classes and weed out the material that is not fit and ready for keen competition.

The St. Joseph Club and the Pasadena Athletic Club are sending the boxers through a hard course of training and will hold tryouts next week, after which six men will be selected from each club for the tournament.

The L.A.A.C. Boxing Committee is anxious to get all entries in early in order to get names and numbers for the official programme. Entry blanks can be obtained at any of the sporting goods houses in the city.

Among the entries received to date are to be found the following stars of former tournaments: Lester Doyle, L.A.A.C., light heavyweight and unlimited heavyweight; James Hill, L.A.A.C., special class, 125-pound class; Willie Hunefeld, L.A.A.C., special class, 125 pounds; Charlie Barker, L.A.A.C., lightweight; J. J. Reynolds, L.A.A.C., middleweight; Fred Stedman, Pasadena Athletic Club, middleweight; Frank Murphy, Pasadena Athletic Club, bantamweight; Jack Geyer, L.A.A.C., middleweight; Tommy McMahon, L.A.A.C., special class, 125 pounds; Burt Helbach, unattached, bantam and featherweight; Charlie Helbach, unattached, bantam and featherweight; Al Mayer, L.A.A.C., bantamweight; L. S. O'Neil, L.A.A.C., welterweight; Louis H. Nordeen, L.A.A.C., lightweight; Raymond Branch, L.A.A.C., light heavyweight; Heinie Schwartz, L.A.A.C., special class and lightweight.

Troy (N. Y.) basketball team, with several new players, including some of the best playing the indoor game, have signed for a series of games to be played in San Francisco next February.

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SPEEDY POMONA TEAM IN NEW YEARS RELAY RACE

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, Dec. 26.—While Pomona College will not be officially entered in the relay race for colleges at the Tournament of Roses athletic carnival next Friday, it is altogether probable that six blue-clad runners will be on the marks when the starting gun is fired.

It was decided several weeks ago not to send a Pomona team down to the races, in as much as the regular track season has not begun, and the men have had no chance to train. Ever since this decision was reached there has been talk of sending a team down to run unattached, as several of last year's championship relay team were unwilling to allow the handsome Tournament of Roses gold medals be won without a try for them.

The team that is expected to enter appears on paper to be a [illegible] one. Larry Gillette has [illegible] intention of running [illegible] and Adkinson, two freshmen [illegible] school fame, will take care of [illegible] more laps, while Clary, [illegible] Youngman will complete the [illegible]

The men, of course, are not [illegible] dition. If they were [illegible] they would give any team [illegible] California a run for the [illegible] lette has done 22 seconds [illegible] distance. Stone and Adkinson [illegible] have shaded 23 seconds [illegible] Clary can cover the 220 yards [illegible] ter than 24 seconds, while [illegible] man at his best can make [illegible] of them hurry.

Even without practice the [illegible] men are bound to be figured [illegible] running. They consider [illegible] their hardest opponents, and [illegible] if they are able to beat the [illegible] to the tape they are sure to [illegible] away the medals.

INDEMNITY AND CHARITY.

Belgians Must Pay Germany Enormous Sums for Ruining Their Country and Accept Charity.

[Philadelphia Record:] The spectacle of a conquering army extorting vast indemnities from the subject population while the people of a neutral nation are giving food to save some of the conquered people from starvation is one never seen before and, it is to be hoped, will never be seen again.

The extortion of indemnity from a conquered country is by no means unprecedented, though the practice of the United States has been so far the reverse of this that we paid both Mexico and Spain for territorial concessions that we demanded. But in the usual course of events the nation that has to pay gets a quid pro quo. A century ago France had to pay an indemnity to the allies who overthrew Napoleon, Prussia standing out for 1,200,000,000 francs, while the rest of the allies were content with half of that sum. But the allied armies were to be withdrawn when the money was paid; in fact, they were withdrawn earlier. France was to pay the money and for it get deliverance from the invading armies.

But if the Belgians pay the enormous sums demanded of them, what do they get? Nothing. They don't get peace. They don't get the withdrawal of the invading armies. The money demanded of them destroys [illegible] power of feeding their own [illegible] tion, whose homes and means of [illegible] lihood have been destroyed [illegible] the Belgians are paying [illegible] they can be raised—to the [illegible] armies, a large part of the [illegible] Belgium must die of starvation [illegible] American charity is adequate [illegible] them.

The demands made upon [illegible] are entirely analogous to those [illegible] by Villa and other Mexican [illegible] upon the banks and wealthy [illegible] of captured towns. The [illegible] people pay because the money [illegible] en from them, but they get [illegible] in exchange. They are not [illegible] further horrors of war [illegible] from the presence of an invader [illegible] The money demanded [illegible] for the ransom is accepted [illegible] of the victim who goes free [illegible] is to pay and not go free [illegible] was not a soft-hearted [illegible] mental person, but he [illegible] neutrality of Belgium, and [illegible] France her liberty in exchange [illegible] milliards.

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…and the West in general …earn much in the development …uncultivated land areas by following the example of the State of … in Australia, according to J. …, member of the Royal Institute of British Architects and representative of the government of Victoria, who has been studying … and American housing …efficiency measures and architecture of public, as well as private … He is staying at the … and will attend the opening of the Panama-California Exposition … San Diego this week.

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LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

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Why is an Efficiency Commission?

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—[To the Editor of The Times:] For the benefit of the public, whose good money to the amount of over $25,000 was spent by the grand jury, I hope you will publish these few quotations from the report of J. J. Hassell, the expert of said jury. Copies of this report are on file in the Hall of Records and pages given refer to it:

Page 104—In regard to change made made on Tax Collectors account by the Auditor, amounting to over $20,000, "we might add that this alteration was made after we had audited the books."

Page 109—In regard to six millions unexplained surplus: "We must admit in passing this item, our extreme curiosity as to the possibility of an accumulation of a surplus of this size if proper accounting principles were adhered to."

Page 116—"The present method of handling the accounts of the Auditor's office calls for unlimited criticism." "The indexing and classification of the general ledger indicates either poor judgment or gross incompetency."

Page 117—"However, our criticism becomes unnecessary when we call to your attention a certain report of the auditing department styled 'Corrections of Auditor's Charges of Expenditures, July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913,' which consists of 105 closely-typed pages of corrections and adjustments." "There are still hundreds of entries correcting improper distribution of warrant charges; in fact, so many we have not undertaken to count them."

Pages 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, contain lists of over a hundred errors.

Page 123—"Three hundred and eighty-seven warrants are missing from the files."

Page 126—"In fact, a number of transfer entries, examined by us, indicated lack of proper knowledge of the simplest rudiments of book-keeping on the part of those who constructed them."

Page 127—"It seems almost beyond belief that a county receiving and disbursing the sum of approximately $15,000,000 per year operates its accounts under control of a system which does not permit of the compiling of a true financial statement."

Now, Mr. Editor, when we consider that these comments are "mild" compared with a previous jury's report: that every report compiled by the Auditor for the Supervisors is a glaring mass of errors, omissions and misstatements: that the Auditor and his "expert" deputies are the main advisers of the Efficiency Bureau and the compilers and markers of examination papers and efficiency records of honest, competent people who work, or wish to, for the county, what excuse do you think can be found by the Supervisors for continuing this misfit Auditor and his crew in office after January 1 next?

Acting under the State law, his term is up then, and who is there to advocate his appointment? Acting under the charter, he should have been discharged long since, together with most of his 'experts" and "straw bosses," for the most absolute inefficiency that can be found in a public or private office in the land.

By the way, will some one please look up the efficiency ratings of the county bureau on the officials, and deputies in the office mentioned, and publish them?

SARAH HOPEGOOD.

Street Car Fares.

RIVERA, Dec. 25.—[To the Editor of The Times:] If the owners of the Los Angeles Railway Company tried selling six tickets for a quarter as they do in many cities back East I think the jitney bus trouble on the streets of Los Angeles would not be so great. They should, however, demand a 5-cent cash fare where transfers are required. DETROIT.

MODEL STOCK FARM.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 27.—George R. Whitcomb, a Los Angeles capitalist, has commenced the improvement of a 320-acre tract about twenty-five miles southwest of Bakersfield and just this side of the Tejon ranch beyond the alkali district. The property will be made into a model stock farm. Mr. Whitcomb has already erected a house and other buildings and has sunk a well successfully. The region is unsettled and little leveloped, Mr. Whitcomb being one of the first to take hold of the land and improve it.

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In the Churches.

(Continued from Third Page.)

him with a noble ideal. He was the servant of Jehovah. Among idolaters he must let his life shine in true devotion to his God.

"He proposed to deny himself that his influence might be the largest possible for good. There may be just as much harm in a person's drinking wine in the home as in the public grill, but it is not so interpreted in the world today.

"Daniel put into execution his resolution. He requested the privilege for himself and his companions to eat pulse and drink water. The request was granted and we read, 'at the end of the ten days their countenances appeared fairer and fatter in flesh than all the children that did eat of the King's meat.' Thus Daniel and his companions put into execution their good resolution and were happier and healthier than the gay and frivolous young people of the palace who gratified their appetites and passions.

"It is a fact that can never be denied that true joy and happiness in this world come only to those who are the masters of every appetite and passion, desire and impulse wrapped up within the body. Nothing is nobler in the life of Daniel than his magnificent self-control and his jovial, happy disposition.

"He prayed. Daniel believed in the power of an unseen world over that which is seen. Daniel was a busy man. He was in the midst of multitudinous duties, but he not only needed to pray three times a day, but he took time to pray. Sometimes a business man says: 'You preachers have time to pray, but we haven't. We're too busy.' The God who created body and brain and nerve can surely do more to keep a man in health and strength and give him wisdom for wise action than any one else.

"He persevered. Perseverance is in one sense a form of fidelity. Daniel was faithful to his trust and stuck to it through thick and thin. He stuck to it in the palace and in the lion's den.

"The secret of final achievement is that courageous, persistent, faithful doing of what you know to be right in spite of all opposition. Let this coming year be opened with a great purpose to be what you ought to be and do what you ought to do. Then by the help of Almighty God give your life with prayer and perseverance to the achievement of that purpose and success is bound to crown your efforts."

FOUND DEAD AT HOME.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, Dec. 27.—Adaline Ortega, aged 25 years, was found dead in her home at section station fifty, Horse Shoe Bend, last night by Joe Mescals, who lives in the same house. Mescals went to Los Angeles Friday. When he returned last night he found the doors locked and broke into the house and found that the young woman had been dead several hours. An inquest was held here today, the verdict being that the woman died of heart failure. The body will be buried at Anaheim cemetery tomorrow. The woman's relatives reside at San Jacinto.

PASTOR RESIGNS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ESCONDIDO, Dec. 27.—The congregation of the Baptist Church were informed today of the resignation of the pastor, Rev. Ernest E. Ford, who had recently entered upon his fourth year as the leader of the church. No reason was given in the resignation. During his pastorate the debt of the society has been wiped out and the membership has more than doubled.

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(Garments; Second Floor)

Hand Bags, $2.85 Values Here to $5.00

Not old-timers, but the newest, freshest and altogether most desirable purses any woman would expect to buy for a price between $3 to $5.

The smart leathers, neat linings, choice fittings of these bags will commend them to those who need such articles, and who are glad to secure them at less than prevailing prices; for as many of you know, leather goods have greatly advanced in value of late. Purchase liberally from these at $2.85.

(Leather Goods; Main Floor)

All Tumbled Handkerchiefs Reduced

All handkerchiefs that in any way show signs of having been handled or soiled in the holiday rush, are out today at such reductions that many people will find it advantageous to purchase a quantity. In most cases the damage is inconsiderable—the handkerchiefs being simply dusty or tumbled—which a trip to the laundry will soon remedy—and the reductions are in every instance, worth-while.

(Handkerchiefs; Main Floor)

Children's Bath Robes Are Half Price

Little folks may be becomingly outfitted with these warm, pretty eiderdown bathrobes, and the usual price of one will buy two now:

Sizes 4 to 16 Years

—in red, light blue, pink and gray; plain or figured; were $2.50 to $4, now $1.25 to $2

Padded Robes

—pink, blue, red, broken sizes; were $8.50 and $10, to be closed out at $3.65

Sweaters for Less

—cardinal, gray, white, navy, rose and green sweaters, in medium weights; fine, soft weaves;

Were $3.50, now $2.95; were, $4, now $3.45; were $5, now $3.95

—These sweaters will be found splendid values at original prices; were all sizes present we could not reduce them.

(Children's Wear; Second Floor)

Two-in-One Bungalow Aprons 50c up

Any woman may present a neat appearance about her housework if she wears one of these pretty and convenient garments:

Crepe Bungalow Aprons — with cap to match, in Dolly Varden designs $1.75

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Boudoir Caps—just a few; together with camisoles and slippers, all much reduced for quick clearance.

Gray and White Stripes—in bungalow aprons, 50c.

Gingham Princess Aprons—durable and pretty 50c

Children's Pajamas — of outing flannel, with Mother Goose pictures and designs all over their surface, $1.25.

(Undermuslins; Second Floor)

The Silk You Hoped to Get for Christmas Is Here—and Reduced!

If you rather expected that Santa Claus would bring you a pattern of silk, and instead he left you money for a Christmas gift, you may buy the very thing you want, probably, in this sale:

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42-in. Charmeuse Bengalines were $4, at........$3.50

42-in. Faille Charmeuse formerly $3.50, at......$3.00

These in a good color assortment, as well as black.

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

All Odd Toys at Half!

A large number of toys of all sorts; games, dolls, wheeled goods, books, etc., were somewhat damaged during the selections before Christmas; these we have taken out of regular stock, and reduced fully half. If you know of any little youngster who didn't get exactly what he expected or wanted—or who could appreciate a few more toys—you may save by selecting them here. The damage is slight on these goods; they may be scratched, nicked, or soiled; all at half.

(Toys; Third Floor)

Lace and Embroidery Remnants at ½!

In Flouncings—you will find cream and white, from 9 to 24 inches wide; shadow, Oriental, crepe, lace, Chantilly, etc.

In Allovers—and embroidered nets you will find white and colors; with a limited quantity of plain and flowered chiffons and plain nets.

Valenciennes and Clunys—in edges and insertions of various widths and patterns.

In Embroideries—will be colored flouncings, 24 to 42 inches wide, with narrow ones to match; in white, 24 inches wide; and a good assortment of narrow edges and insertions for undergarments.

(Embroideries, Laces; Main Floor)

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Our reputation for carrying in stock none but high-class, reliable gloves is one of which we are very proud. You may be certain, when you buy gloves at Coulter's, that they will be fresh, perfect and in newest style—articles that will increase in value as the days go by.

We carry in stock a number of well-known imported makes, from France, Italy and Germany, so that no matter what the peculiarities of your hand, you may be accurately fitted. We also keep on hand the best domestic-manufactured gloves.

Specials—there is a reduction of twenty-five cents a pair on all women's cape gloves; these are splendid for winter wear, being warmer than the kid. Their prices range from $1.25 to $3—now $1 to $2.75.

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(Gloves; Main Floor)

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Pasadena.

HARD TO LIVE ON OIL STOCK.

Finds Hotel Curb Poor Place for Spot Sales.

Guest Under Arrest Worried Over Money Matters.

Plenty of Flowers Found for Rose Tournament.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 28.—Bringing Mrs. Delia Turner, a striking young woman, with him from San Francisco to act as his private secretary, Robert Thompson, who says he is an oil man of Pittsburgh, engaged two apartments at the Hotel Maryland, but when he did not pay his bills, he was arrested for vagrancy.

Through alleged manipulations, it was soon noised about the hotel that notwithstanding his shabby appearance, he was a big oil operator from Pittsburgh, but it was not until he is alleged to have tried to sell stock to Jack Cudahy that the management of the hotel grew suspicious and as a result, Mr. Thompson is passing his days in the police station, instead of enjoying the luxury of his comfortable suite. Mrs. Turner is being cared for at the Y.W.C.A.

When arrested he had $3.08 left from a sum borrowed from his private secretary, it is alleged by her. The police, it is said, tried to get him to return the $3.08, to the woman, but he refused to do so.

When Thompson met Mrs. Turner in San Francisco, where she is said to have been employed by the Panama-Pacific Exposition, he persuaded her to work for him and arranged for them to leave on a boat for Los Angeles.

On joining Mrs. Turner at the boat, Mrs. Turner related, he borrowed enough money to pay for their fares to Pasadena, explaining that his partner, whom he had given several large checks and cash, had not arrived. He seemed to be very much worried and annoyed and did not wish to be delayed in the trip south.

Having every confidence in her employer, Mrs. Turner readily gave him the money. While at the hotel they mingled very little with the guests and Thompson always entered and left the place through the back entrances, say the hotel people.

PLENTY OF FLOWERS.

That there will be flowers galore, and in quantities and condition to excel those used for several years in the floats and decorations to be used in the Tournament of Roses pageant, is the opinion expressed last night by A. J. Bertonneau.

Accompanied by Howell Brown and L. H. Turner, Mr. Bertonneau went as far as Ontario yesterday in his preliminary search for posies for the great celebration and declares never in his many years experience has there been so many or such perfect flowers as now. Marguerites, bougain villaea, poinsettias, sweet peas and violets as well as roses, the flower of the day, are to be had in profusion.

Arrangements are being made whereby many of the largest nurseries of this section of the country will make generous donations. It is said that there will be more than 100,000 violets alone used in the wonderful floral displays that are being planned for Pasadena's day of days.

One of the features of the sports to be held at Tournament Park at the conclusion of the pageant that is giving interest to society, is the polo pony hurdling contest that will take place between Miss Marion Mershon and Dr. Malaby. Both of these expert riders are well known and their equestrian skill is a matter of frequent comment among their friends, who are awaiting this particular exhibition with more than ordinary interest.

ROSE BALL LIMITED.

The formal opening of the roof garden of the Hotel Green, which is destined to become one of the show places of Pasadena, will take place on the night of December 31 on the occasion of the "rose ball."

The "rose ball" is to be the exclusive event of the present social season. Only 400 invitations have been issued for the event and the guests will be composed of the exclusives of Pasadena and Los Angeles society.

The ball is to be preceded by a sumptuous banquet, and dancing will continue from 9:30 until 11:30 o'clock, at which time the guests will repair to the roof garden, which will be profusely embellished, and will enjoy a "watch night dansant," which will include an exhibition of fancy and feature dances by some of the famed talent of the world.

The old year will merge into the new to the tune of merry music and the gladsome merry-making of the guests and departures will not be in order until 1:30 a.m., New Year's Day.

BABE'S MOTHER DIES.

The birth of a baby daughter brought great joy to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Reynolds on Tuesday morning, and rejoicing in their happiness, there was no thought that in the background lurked the grim reaper.

Mrs. Reynolds and the babe were strong and well until yesterday morning when she became suddenly seriously ill and died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, leaving her husband and a son, Clark, a high school student, and the infant daughter. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

Y.M.I. DANSANT.

Arrayed in smart uniforms of white, 150 members of the Young Men's Institute of Los Angeles are expected to cut a dash in the Tournament of Roses parade on New Year's Day. They will march in the pageant in three battalions, and afterwards will be driven to the Hotel Raymond in automobiles, where they will entertain nearly a hundred debutantes and their mothers with an elaborate spread.

After dinner they will entertain their fair guests with a dansant. The music for the occasion will be furnished by the different glee clubs of the institute.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. —[Advertisement.

Rev. Henry Kendall Booth,
Pastor of the First Congregational Church of Long Beach, whose new edifice was dedicated yesterday.

The Harbor.

ISLAND SINGERS SAILING SOUTH.

COASTWISE PASSENGER TRAFFIC PICKS UP RAPIDLY.

Hawaiians on Way to San Diego to Build Native Village for the Fair—Reduced Holiday Rates Induces Increased Travel—Ships' Lookouts Watch for Drifters.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Dec. 27.—Many of Hawaii's best musicians were passengers on the Pacific Coast liner Congress which sailed for San Diego today. They are among the thirty-eight Hawaiians who are en route to the southern city to build a native village at the exposition.

The natives arrived at San Francisco on the Oceanic liner Sierra and transhipped there to the Congress.

Coastwise passenger traffic has shown a marked improvement during the past week, according to pursers and ticket agents. The Harvard arriving from San Francisco brought a big crowd. The reduced holiday rates on the white turbiners, coupled with three holidays in succession, account for much of the traffic.

The Yale yesterday had a big crowd and many of the excursionists were return passengers today and will be back at work in San Francisco tomorrow after a day in Los Angeles.

WATCH FOR DRIFTERS.

Officers on the American-Hawaiian steamer Columbian, which arrived today from New York via San Diego, kept a sharp watch coming up the coast for the mate and four sailors who left the Danish motorship Malakka on the rocks of Cedros Island off the coast of Lower California.

The men left the stranded steamer to row to the telegraph station at San Quintin, 130 miles away, and nothing has been heard of them since. It is feared the boat foundered in the heavy sea that was running at the time.

The motorship was pierced almost to the main deck, according to late wireless messages, and to save the ship 6000 tons of barley valued at $250,000 will have to be thrown overboard along with about 1000 tons of more valuable cargo.

Arrowhead Springs—Pacific Electric direct from Los Angeles to the springs.—[Advertisement.

Ocean Park.

WOMAN TRAINER BITTEN BY INFURIATED LEOPARD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OCEAN PARK, Dec. 27.—Martha Floreine, the pretty trainer of leopards and pumas, came near being killed last night while putting her animals through their tricks in the caged arena of the Barnes circus on the pier.

The girl was finishing her performance when the leopard and the puma engaged in a battle. The nervy trainer proceeded with the usual course of trying to separate the fighting animals by snapping her whip and firing revolver shots, but this was of no avail, the animals becoming more enraged.

As the woman stepped back to get a prong at the side of the cage she tripped over a pedestal and fell to the floor.

This attracted the attention of the leopard from its fight, and with a snarl it sprang upon her, sinking its sharp claws into the girl's shoulders and inflicting painful wounds.

All this time the spectators seemed glued to their seats, momentarily expecting to see the girl mangled by the infuriated beast, when George Thornton, who watches outside of the cage, quickly sprang inside and pronged the leopard from the girl.

The attendants quickly rescued the two and the injured girl was taken to her hotel, where she and her friends of the show dressed the wounds, which consisted of badly lacerated shoulders and arms. No doctor was required, as these show people have their own methods of dressing wounds made by such animals.

Long Beach.

GREAT CHURCH IS DEDICATED.

Largest Edifice in the South Filled to Overflowing.

Noted Churchmen Gather at Long Beach Service.

Whisky, Gunpowder Cause Half World's Misery.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 27.—When more than 2000 Congregationalists today dedicated the magnificent First Congregational Church, an epoch in the religious life of Long Beach was prominently marked. The church is the largest and most costly in this city of churches. Its architecture and appointments are without peer in Southern California. Today's services were the first in a series of six daily programmes which are to follow one another this week.

Dr. Henry Kendall Booth, the pastor, faced a congregation which filled the pews and overflowed, standing in the rear of the church and in the wings when he pronounced the call of worship. Impressed with the beauty of line and tone of the interior, those who had gathered to worship for the first time in the church felt that the word that had gone forth that this was the finest church of the denomination in California, was spoken truthfully.

ORGAN PEALS.

After favorite and appropriate hymns and anthems were sung, and the magnificent Hathaway memorial organ was made to give an appealing interpretation of Guilmant's "Pastorale" in D Minor, Prof. William Edson Strobridge at the board, Dr. Booth was given the keys of the church by the architect, Henry M. Patterson, and B. F. Tucker, president of the Board of Trustees. Dr. Booth spoke of his appreciation of the fidelity and loyalty of the builder and head of the board in the construction of the church.

Rev. Ralph B. Larkin, head of the missionary movement of the denomination, gave the Scripture lesson to the congregation. Prof. E. C. Norton, dean of Pomona College, offered the prayer of dedication. Special musical numbers and trios were given by Miss Laurelle L. Chase, Miss Hazel Schertzinger and Herman Seidel.

Rev. Daniel F. Fox, D.D., of Pasadena, in delivering the sermon of dedication, chose for his text, Joshua iv:21-24.

GOD OPENS WAY.

"When your children shall ask in time, 'What means these stones?'" said Dr. Fox, in part, "then shall you let your children know, saying, 'We were led in a manner no one ever thought possible to build this church; for the Lord God opened the way before us as ye see this day.'

"What is the inspiration of this great achievement? It is a story in stone of God's leadership. It is a history in art of His goodness. It is a recital in color of His favor. It is a testimony in architecture before the eyes of all those who behold its beauty that the hand of the Lord is mighty.

"To this end you have prayed, wrought, sacrificed, given. Because of this we this day with you rejoice. If in olden times the monument at Gilgal bore silent testimony to the divine goodness and was accepted of God, a thousand-fold more will this Christian church be accepted of Him, to be not only monumental, but a blessing to those who have made it possible, and an inspiration to the countless thousands who, in years to come, will gather here for worship and service."

ERECT MONUMENT.

Dr. Booth, in illustrating his text and the adaptation to the dedication of the church, likened the building of the edifice to the achievement of the people of Israel, who had crossed the Jordan, and whose forty years of wandering had come to an end, and they erected a monument to commemorate the deeds of the faithful.

Continuing he said:

"A feeling comes over us sometimes like a bad dream that God cannot really care, or He would not allow things to happen like the European war. But in war, progress towards peace has been shown. They no longer put captives to death as in the olden times. When we shall have put one-half the thought, time and money into ushering in the reign of the Prince of Peace that we have put into the manufacture of big guns and munitions of war, we will abolish war.

"If the nations of the world were to prohibit the manufacture of whisky and gunpowder, one-half the misery of the world would end."

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SIX INCHES BIG ENOUGH FOR HIM.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 27.—One of the smallest lots in the world has been offered for sale in Pasadena. It is located in one of the downtown business streets here and has a frontage of six inches with a depth of nearly 100 feet, and is the property of A. Legge.

Senator Finn of Kansas and another tourist were looking at the lot and the companion of the Senator declared that a lot like that is no good to anybody or for anything.

But Senator Finn replied, "You are wrong, Sam, it ought to be bought by Theodore Roosevelt, for if that aggregation of political 'wig-wags which he heads continues to shrink as it has done of late, he'll find that size frontage with about thirteen inches of depth will be big enough for the burial place of the whole Bull Moose party."

Practical Incinerators.
Above is one devised by a minister of Tropico, while below is one of a number of similar designs used by the street department at Glendale.

Glendale.

STRIKE MATCHES NOW IN SAFETY.

BURNING PROBLEM SOLVED BY GLENDALE AND TROPICO.

Incinerators Making Good in the Disposal of Trash—Preacher Designs Model Which Neighbors Are Copying—Street Department and Merchants Easily Get Rid of Trash.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDALE, Dec. 27.—The brick incinerator has been found by the officials of Glendale to be the best and surest way in which to keep the city streets free from old paper and other combustible material. For several years the Trustees experimented, but try as they would the burnable matter would accumulate behind the business blocks and store buildings, to be blown eventually from behind these structures onto the streets. The work of gathering these papers fell upon the street department and during the course of a year cost the city considerable money.

These incinerators were then devised and are placed at a safe distance from the rear of these buildings and during certain hours in the day the merchants are permitted to burn their waste paper, etc. In addition to keeping the streets clean the incinerators lessen the danger from fire. Each of these stoves cost $17.

The incinerator is four by four feet and at the back measures five feet in height. The opening at the front, which is covered with a two-inch mesh wire screen, is twenty-seven inches across, while the firebox on the inside is three feet square and has a one-inch angle iron grating. The chimney hole is six by twenty-seven inches in size, while the draft hole is eight inches wide by twenty-seven inches long and the bricks above the draft hole are supported by an inch-angle iron strip. Over the chimney hole is a screen with a half-inch mesh, this being provided to stop pieces of burning material from flying into the air.

PRACTICAL PREACHER.

A novel thing in the way of a family incinerator has been devised by a resident of Tropico. It was during one of the clean-up weeks instituted by the Trustees there that Rev. J. H. Henry, not to be outdone by his neighbors, gave his premises a thorough cleaning up.

When the litter had been drawn into a pile he realized that to burn it in that way would mean that the ashes would blow back across his own yard and also that of his neighbors. To remedy this trouble he devised and erected this back-yard stove in a convenient place. The incinerator proved to be just the thing he was wanting and the results have been so satisfactory that his neighbors are adopting the idea.

The stove is two and a half feet in height and is about three feet in diameter at the base. It slowly tapers towards the top, at which point it is about two feet in diameter. It may be used as sort of a "Dutch oven," for the cooking of beans, etc., and also proves valuable in the boiling of water on wash days.

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San Bernardino.

DRUG TWISTS HIS MEMORY.

Man in Hospital Recovers at San Bernardino.

Drugged and Robbed Victim Remembers Scene.

Chinese Merchant Arrested with Opium Aboard.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 27.—Having regained almost his normal mental faculties after several days of dementia in the County Hospital, Otto Keiser, who was taken from a Salt Lake train here several days ago, tells the doctors that he was drugged and robbed of all his funds on the way out to Los Angeles from Chicago to visit his mother, who resides at No. 140 Gates street, Los Angeles.

The effect of the alleged drugging on the mind caused him to at first relate a tale of a wreck and injuries, but when he became himself he stated that he had been drinking with acquaintances made on the train and believes that his liquor was doped. Officers here finally located his relatives from letters found in his pocket.

FIND OPIUM TINS.

Wong Moo, formerly influential Chinese merchant in this city and San Francisco, but at present suspected of being one of the State's foremost opium smugglers, was arrested here by Policeman D. W. Wixom as he alighted from a Pacific Electric train from Los Angeles. Three tins of the drug were found in his possession and these are valued at $300.

The prosecution of Wong Moo is in the hands of the local immigration officer, Harry B. Blee. It is believed that Moo is implicated in a gang that has been importing large quantities of the drug into the city, and local authorities are investigating clews which it is expected will lead to other arrests.

PAINFULLY BURNED.

Lawrence E. Mallery, baker at the Webber bakery, was painfully [...] when distillate in the burner [...] oven exploded while he was [...] ing to light it. The blast [...] door of the oven off and young [...] lery was hurled several [...] flames enveloping his face and [...] searing them severely. He will [...] cover without permanent effects [...] stated.

THOUSAND SAVED.

According to figures announced [...] the ministerial union today [...] city churches, a total of 1200 [...] confessed their faith and [...] by Evangelists Brown and [...] who conducted a whirlwind [...] paign of three weeks in [...] The evangelists are now [...] Beach. About 85,000 [...] tended the services, which [...] daily.

SOLDIERS' HOME DEATHS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. [...]—Following are the recent deaths [...] place:

William Scott, formerly of [...] First Minnesota Infantry, a [...] Pennsylvania, admitted from Los Angeles in 1914, died December [...] 71.

Frank P. Hall, formerly of [...] Eighteenth New Hampshire [...] a native of New Hampshire, [...] from Los Angeles in 1908, died December 19, aged 74.

Levi Olmstead, formerly of [...] Thirty-second Iowa Infantry, [...] tive of New York, admitted from [...] Angeles in 1912, died December [...] aged 88.

Seth Jillson, formerly of [...] battalion, New York Light Artillery, a native of New York, admitted [...] Los Angeles in 1901, died December 20, aged 74.

Charles E. Bradford, formerly [...] Co. K, Sixty-fifth New York [...] (Spanish-American War,) a native [...] Vermont, admitted from Los Angeles in 1908, died December 26, [...]

George Schafner, formerly of [...] F, Ninety-seventh Pennsylvania [...] fantry, a native of Pennsylvania, [...] mitted from Sacramento, Cal., in [...] died December 22, aged 81.

Delos Williams, formerly of [...] Fifth Iowa Infantry, a [...] Illinois, admitted from [...] in 1908, died December 22, [...]

William P. Damon, formerly of [...] D, Second Michigan Infantry, [...] tive of New York, admitted [...] from Sawtelle, Cal., died at the [...] while on furlough, December [...] 81.

Daniel Allen, formerly of [...] Fourteenth United States [...] native of Ireland, admitted from [...] Angeles in 1895, died December [...] aged 87.

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New York Exhibit Escapes Fire in Lyons, France, and is Coming West.

Round-up of the Cruisers and Warships for the Great Naval Parade.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—Completion of the steel-framed, fireproof Palace of Fine Arts, which was turned over by the contractor today to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, marks the end of the construction work on the exposition's exhibit buildings. The Palace of Fine Arts is in the form of an arc, 1100 feet in length. It is situated on a large lagoon immediately west of the main group of palaces, and it is regarded as the handsomest building on the grounds. It cost about $500,000.

NEW YORK EXHIBIT IS COMING WEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—After escaping destruction by fire at Lyons, France, New York city's exhibit at the Lyons Exposition has been returned safely to this city on the French steamship Cacique, and is now prepared for shipment to San Francisco, where it will form part of

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THE HEART OF IT
EPITOMIZED, CLASSIFIED [...]

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., south; velocity, 7 miles. Thermometer, highest, 57 deg.; lowest, 47 deg. Forecast: Fair. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. With about everything wrong with the National Guard, many officers and men have been devoting their time to evolutions for pay before the "movie" camera.

A chic young woman decoyed a motorist from his machine on a highway and her well-dressed pal robbed the victim.

It was declared a real estate man maintained a double personality, forged and stole to give his young wife luxuries.

Breaks in the Southern Pacific lines in Arizona, caused by floods, were repaired and through service resumed.

Speculation was rife upon the possibility that Bishop Conaty of this diocese will succeed the late Archbishop Riordan.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. The print of a shoe heel indicates that a woman helped ransack the house of a wealthy Pasadena man.

Aged women of the County Farm were given an outing to Long Beach.

The Standard Oil Company has filed suit in Santa Ana to reduce its tax assessment.

Editorial Note: Readers will bear in mind, in [...] of headlines over the war news, that the various [...] languages as we will briefly and fairly express the [...] to give all sides a fair hearing.